

# SIXTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS MEETS

## Progressive Bloc Causes A Deadlock, Big Row Expected

Session Promises to Show Colorful Chapter—Bloc Holds Balance in Scale of Votes and Raises Flag of Insurgency in House—Senate Is Calm.

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The new Congress began its first session before it was an hour old the House was in the throes of a spectacular fight over the election of speaker. The little Progressive bloc, made up of followers of Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, refused to support Speaker Gillett for re-election and precipitated a deadlock blowing all other business.

Mr. Gillett had the support of the Republican organization, but his strength fell short of the majority over all necessary to elect. The Democrats voted solidly for Representative Garrett of Tennessee, and the bulk Progressive bloc strength went to Representative Cooper, of Wisconsin.

Compromise negotiations to permit an election of a day or so was expected by the Republican chiefs but as the voting went on there were no indications of capitulation to the Progressive bloc demand for concessions in committee assignments and changes in the House rules.

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The Progressive bloc in Congress today made good its threat to throw the House into a deadlock over election of a speaker.

On the first ballot no candidate received the majority over all required to elect.

### ORGANIZATION ROW FACED AT OUTSET

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Facing an organization row at the very outset, the Sixty-Eighth Congress convened at noon today for a session which promises to show a colorful chapter in the history of legislation and politics.

The militant Progressive bloc, holding the balance in the scale of votes, by virtue of the greatly reduced Republican majorities, raised the flag of insurgency in the House by threatening a deadlock in the election of a speaker.

While on the Senate side the opening formalities passed off with the usual outward calm and decorum, the reorganization of the Senate and some of its more important committees were in the background.

On the Senate side things went much more smoothly. A resolution was passed in the afternoon adjournment was taken until tomorrow out of respect for senators who have died during the nine months recess.

On the first ballot in the House speakership fight, Speaker Gillett, received 193 votes to 197 for Representative Garrett and 19 for Representative Cooper.

Representative Madden, Republican Illinois, was given five votes.

The 17 who voted for Cooper were: Beck, Browne, Egan, Leary, Nease, Peavey, Schaefer, Schneider and Voigt, all of Wisconsin; Clague, Davis, Keller and Knutson, Republicans of Minnesota; Kvale, independent of Minnesota; La Guardia, Republican New York and Sinclair, Republican North Dakota.

After a session lasting exactly 45 minutes the Senate adjourned until tomorrow out of respect to the memory of senators who have died since the last session—Nelson, of Minnesota; Dillingham, of Vermont and Nicholson, of Colorado. There was no move for a reorganization of the Senate, having selected a full slate of candidates, were prepared later to offer a motion to proceed with the election of a President pro tem. The move probably will be postponed until after President Coolidge has delivered his first annual message.

The roll call in House concluded, nominations were made for speaker. Representative Anderson of Minnesota, chairman of the Republican conference, placed Mr. Gillett in nomination and Representative

Birth Announcement  
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## Surry County Jury To Try Garrett

Larkin Will Be Arraigned for His Part in Pierce Murder December 11.

(By The Associated Press)  
CUMBERLAND COURTHOUSE, U. S. E., Va., Dec. 3.—Judge B. D. White, today requested the clerk of Surry county circuit court to furnish a venire of sixty men from which will be selected a jury to try Larkin C. Garrett on charges of murder in connection with the shooting to death of the Rev. E. S. Pierce in front of the Baptist parsonage on June 5 last. The trial will begin in Cumberland county circuit court here on December 11.

Judge White decided on the selection of a jury from Surry county after arguments here Saturday of preliminary motions in the case. The change of venue was granted at request of Commonwealth Counsel L. O. Wendenburg of defense counsel, then submitted a list of counties from which he asked that the venire be drawn.

"Your honor," he said, "I know

it is your desire to give this defendant a fair and impartial trial—a fairer trial than was given his brother, Robert, before a Southampton jury. As you probably know, Mr. Pierce had held four pastorates in Southampton.

"I shall ask the liberty of suggestion on this point," Judge White said. "How about Freshwater or Methodist atmosphere?"

"Our only suggestion," he added, "is that you don't take their suggestions."

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## FLOOD AREA IS A BARREN WASTE

Germany Helpless To Undertake War Of Revenge Now

American Military Expert Tells Why Conflict Between Germany and France Is Unlikely.

By RAYMOND FENDRICKS  
(By Chicago Tribune Service)  
BERLIN, Dec. 3.—Germany is really helpless to undertake a war of revenge against France in the immediate future.

This statement was given to the Tribune today by one of the most important American military experts in Berlin who outlines his reasons as follows:

1.—Germany does not have one single first-class military aeroplane while France has 10,000 and every aerophone factory in France is working full time to increase this vast aerial fleet. From their advance bases, every strategic point in Germany is within radius of this enormous fleet.

2.—Germany's steel and chemical industries and its coal mines are largely in French hands.

3.—The French have an overwhelming superiority in light and heavy artillery, tanks, armored cars, motorized machine guns and other war material.

4.—The French can advance down the Main River Valley from Frankfurt and cut off Bavaria without difficulty.

5.—From their advance bases in the Ruhr and Rhineland, the French can over-run all western Germany.

6.—The French government cannot give details of the manufacture of army supplies and military equipment. The French government is good proof that they are imaginary.

7.—Russia is now furious at Germany for crushing Communism and is negotiating an alliance with France. The only reservation of this American expert on German military helplessness concerns future British help to Germany. It is an open secret that relations between the German officers and the British section of the allied military control mission have become very confidential and mysterious.

By their control of the sea routes the British could secretly or openly send German military supplies and there is a possibility of Russia supplying Germany with aviation material which is not taken seriously here.

A widespread inquiry by the Tribune in every part of the country for months past indicates that there are no military preparations in Germany of any importance. The comparative small proportion of the Germans enrolled in the secret military organizations are helpless without equipment. Arms and munitions are hidden since the armistice are mostly spoiled or obsolete.

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## Commission Claims Interstate Express Rates Are Too High

Refuses American Railway Express Co. Right to Make General Increases—New Basis Laid and Principles to Govern Revision Are Outlined.

(By The Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—New basis for the application of Interstate express rates were laid down today by the Interstate Commerce Commission in a decision which refused the American Railway Express Company the right to make general increases for which it asked.

Present Interstate express rates applied to food articles of nearly all kinds and should be reduced by amounts ranging from 10 to 15 per cent. The companies were required to make the reductions by installing charges which will equal those in effect on October 12, 1922, when increases to the present levels were made.

In outlining the principles to govern the general revision, the commission pointed out that rates are now built up on the basis of five zones, one for the northeastern section of the country, one for the southeast, one for the central section, one for the Rocky Mountain area, and one for the Pacific coast. There are differences in the factors of rates between each zone and the commission decided that these result in inequities. Accordingly, a three zone system was ordered in effect, one zone to take in generally the northeastern section of the United States, the second the southeast, and the third to include all of the territory west of the Mississippi river.

As recently stated, the church occupied yesterday was built at a cost of \$7,000 through the generosity of members of Epiphany church after the foundation had been laid for it by the rector who has been engaged in missionary work there for more than a year. It is proposed to have the formal dedication early in the new year.

On the day of his disappearance, Jimmy was playing near the boarding house. His father now said he wandered off, following a pet dog. When he did not return at dusk, Mrs. Glass gave the alarm. The search around Greely was tramped for days. A dam was examined and a pond drained but without success. Gypsy bands everywhere were held up by the police and their caravans and camps searched, and the parents traveled thousands of miles following clues that failed to bear results. County authorities estimate that the search cost \$100,000.

## Skeleton of Missing Jimmie Glass Is Found After A Search of Eight Years

(By The Associated Press)  
LONDON, Dec. 3.—Attempts to listen in on American radio broadcast Sunday morning were unsuccessful owing to atmospheric conditions and stations in the United States were heard only intermittently.

Richard Evelyn Byrd, of the prosecution, protested the selection and asked: "How about Freshwater or Methodist atmosphere?"

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## 136 Of 600 Bodies Are Recovered From The Bergamo Valley

Rescue Parties Work Day and Night Seeking Victims of Deluge Over Area of Fifty Square Miles—Section at Daro a Vast Lake.

(By The Associated Press)  
BERGAMO, Italy, Dec. 3.—One hundred and thirty-seven bodies had been recovered early today from the Bergamo Valley county, six hundred of whose inhabitants are believed to have been drowned when the great dike impounding the waters of Gleno Lake collapsed Saturday.

Troops and civilian rescue parties worked throughout the night in the mud and water seeking the victims of the deluge over an area of fifty square miles and endeavoring to give aid and comfort to the thousands who have been made homeless by the disaster.

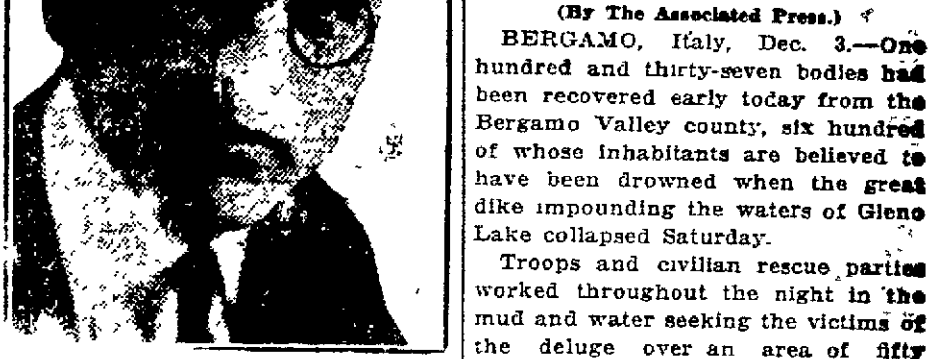
King Victor Emmanuel is expected to visit the scene today. Hundreds of homes, including the entire village of Desoso, Corna and Buegno, were wiped out by the ten million cubic yards of water that swept from the artificial glacial lake.

The course of the flood was stopped at Lake Iseo, 1 mile away.

The countryside in the vicinity of Daro has become a vast lake and as the water gradually subsides it leaves a waste of mud that has engulfed innumerable human beings.

The torrential rains of the past week, reaching serious proportions last Friday and Saturday, made the pressure against the Gleno dike greater than the four-mile wall could withstand and although the masonry was 33 yards thick the dike went out and the water thundered down the valley, sweeping all before it.

A cold wave which has swept down from the Alps has made relief work arduous. Seven squadrons of the national militia are on the ground rendering aid.



JOHN J. WICKER, JR.

John J. Wicker, Jr., commander of the Virginia Department American Legion, who is to make his first official visit to Danville on Wednesday night, when he will be guest of honor at supper, and who later will make an address before the local membership at the Danville Hotel. Post commander Waverly Cousins is hoping to see a large turn out of the Danville legionnaires to meet the recently-elected commander and to hear his address.

## Passengers Have Narrow Escapes as Train Wrecks

(By The Associated Press)  
Tiffin, Ohio, Dec. 3.—One man, a member of the train crew, was seriously injured and more than fifty passengers escaped serious injury when Pennsylvania passenger train number 1405, Pittsburgh to Detroit, was wrecked here early today.

The injured man, Charles Maxwell, of Toledo, fireman, was thrown from the engine and his back injured.

The wreck was caused by the train hitting a derail at the Baltimore and Ohio crossing.

PAPER PLANT BURNS.  
(By The Associated Press)  
MOBILE, Dec. 3.—The plant of the Gulf Paper Company was today totally destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at about \$200,000.

WINNEPEG HAS BAD FIRE.  
(By The Associated Press)  
WINNEPEG, Minn., Dec. 3.—Fire of undetermined origin in the Mason and Risch block, Portage avenue, early today caused damage estimated at \$225,000.

## Danville Elks Do Honor to Their Dead in Striking Memorial Service

The Danville Elks yesterday afternoon paid homage to their dead at annual memorial exercises held in the Majestic theatre. As has been the custom for years, the service was largely attended by the people of Danville. The event on Sunday was featured by a handsome eulogy of the departed brethren given by John W. Carter and an address by William L. Joyce, of Stuart, a member of the Danville Lodge. As is customary, the special ritual of the order with standard officers reading the lines responsively was given and the clerk called the names of 62 members of the Danville lodge who have died since it was founded and as each name was read an illuminated electric light bulb sprang ablaze around the dial of the large clock face associated with Elksdom which was reared upon the stage. The service was replete with musical numbers in keeping with the solemnity of the occasion.

Exalted Ruler John W. Gibson presided at the service which was opened by the Doxology and then a fervent prayer for the departed by Rev. J. M. Shelburne, this following the singing of the opening hymn.

Mr. Carter in his eulogy spoke fondly of the life of the only member of the Danville Lodge who died during the year—George S. Hughes—a man he had known since childhood, a sympathetic and earnest member of the lodge and declared that throughout his life he had applied the four principles of Elksdom, charity, justice, brotherly love and fidelity—with sincere devotion. Mr. Carter spoke also of the death of the order, the high calling that 60,000 Elks throughout the country were at that hour paying homage to their dead. The service, he said, was expressive of the great thought in the background of every Elksman—the hope of immortality.

Mr. Carter quoted verses of Scripture and lingered on the subject of immortality. The service, he said, was not a Lodge of Sorrow although grief played a part in it, but that it had no other purpose, the "glory" and the "eternity" of immortality from those whose lives stand as examples. Mr. Carter in closing, quoted a paraphrased poem of Thomas More:

"It is not the tears at this moment  
That shall be remembered  
When the cold turf has just been  
Laid on him

That can tell how beloved was the friend that's dead  
"Or how deep in our hearts we deplore his loss  
"Tis the tear through many a long day wept  
"Tis life's whole path overshadowed  
"Tis the one remembrance fondly kept  
"When all lighter griefs have faded  
"Thus his memory like some holy light  
"Kept alive in our hearts will improve them  
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## DANVILLE ROSE- BUD SOCIETY LEADS ALL OTHER

During the past year the Rosebuds of Mount Vernon Methodist church, under the leadership of Miss Marion Browder, surpassed in their efforts to raise missionary money every other society in the state. This year the Rosebud Society in Virginia, the largest of its kind in the state, is composed of 100 members, and it has done much to establish a missionary spirit in the Methodist church in our state. The John B. Edwards Rosebud Society of Mount Vernon is the oldest of this popular missionary movement, and has been served by many active workers in the capacity of president, among whom were Mrs. Ruth Fuller, Mrs. Joe A. Guernsey, Miss Eppie Lee, Miss Annie Curran, Miss J. Carson Watson, Miss Priscilla Hodnett and Miss Katie Fitzgerald. Miss Browder has led this work for several years and each year has shown an advance over the previous one, until 1922, when the John B. Edwards society at the head of the long list of Virginia Rosebuds, and the Virginia conference banner has been awarded to the Rosebuds of Mt. Vernon for the largest amount of money raised during the year.

The Rosebud Society established and maintains a school in Monterey, Mexico, which is training ministers and missionaries, and at the same time is a genuine Christian education and training to a large number of local children. This school was so much loved and revered by the Mexicans that they religiously protected it during all of the revolutions of the past ten years and not so much as a window was broken by the marauding and devastating revolutionary bands that roamed the country.

### THREE BANKS CLOSED

(By The Associated Press.)  
BISMARCK, N. D., Dec. 1.—Three North Dakota state banks having aggregate deposits of \$284,000 have closed, according to information received by the state banks commission here. The banks are: State Bank of Rolla, capital \$100,000, deposits \$150,000; Farmers Bank of Crary, capital \$28,000, deposits \$101,000; and the American Exchange Bank of Williston, capital \$25,000, deposits \$43,000.

### Christmas Suggestions

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If you cannot eat the food you like because of the unpleasant after effects, there is something wrong.

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You may be ever so careful about what you eat and yet suffer from stomach trouble. Let us tell you how.

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays  
Nights: 8:30 to 9:30 and Sunday  
3:30 to 5:30 p. m.

## D. M. I. Appoints Cadet Officers For First Term

Ranking cadet officers, and first sergeants have been appointed for the year in the cadet corps of the Danville Military Institute. The current appointments, though coming somewhat later than might be expected, are the result of time necessary for the use of the Scott rating system which was found to be most efficient for the selection of officer material in the U. S. Army and Marine Corps in the years of 1917 and 1918.

The so-called Scott rating system consists in a systematic estimate of a man's ability gained through comparative figures or estimates prepared by several individuals, and each set of figures or estimates bearing upon the person in question. Executive ability, intelligence, neatness, technical knowledge, bearing, leadership, and faculty officers making ratings comparing the cadet being rated to a supply of one hundred percent efficient cadets, and these individual ratings, when averaged are compiled, form the basis of selection. It is usually for the subject being rated to maintain an average of more than eighty-eight or seventy per cent total efficiency. It should be noted also that faculty officers preparing such ratings do not communicate one with another on the subject until their ratings are complete, as such discussions might influence personal opinion and to cause the ratings to lose its value.

The cadets who maintained the best averages, and who thereby were appointed as cadet officers and ranking non-commissioned officers are as follows: Cadet Captains, John W. Booker and Morgan C. Briggs. Cadet First Lieutenants and Adjutants, Henry F. Duncan; Cadet Lieutenants, William J. Boelen and Julian T. Owen; Cadet First Sergeants, Edwin V. Hooper and John W. Wilson. Sergeant guides and file closers, corporals and musicians have not yet been appointed. It is expected that these will be had within the next two weeks.

All appointments are subject to revocation on February first of each year, when by a general order appointments are ordered to be continued or other appointments are made in their stead as the command and circumstances of the cadet officers may seem to justify.

What promises to be one of the best amateur minstrel shows ever given in Danville by local talent will be seen at the Odd Fellows' Hall, North Main street, Tuesday, December 11, when "Barneo" Mills, darktown seppies, will make their initial appearance before a Danville audience under the auspices of the North Bayley Council of Sons and Daughters of Liberty. This will be an amateur production of quality, as every song and part will be played by experienced men who have been hard at work for some time on their parts to give it that "big time pep and snap."

Herman Shelton "Rip" and Otis Petty, Bob Oakley and "Barneo" Mills will furnish the fun from the end. These boys will certainly give a good account of themselves in comic songs and good clean jokes. Barneo Mills is a local boy of unusual talent as a fun-maker, and his songs and jokes promise to feature the show.

The musical selections are new and will be rendered by some of the best singers in Danville. Among the numbers will be "Beale Street Mama," "Louisville Lou," "Waiting for the Evening Mail" and "She may be Yours Now." Among the ballads will be "Just a Girl That Men Forget," "Time after Time," "Pal of My Dreams" and others.

### MINSTREL SHOW ON DECEMBER 11

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## MESSAGES WARN AVIATOR AGAINST FLIGHT

DAYTON, O., Dec. 3.—"God does not wish you to make this flight." "He surely will punish you if you attempt it."

"You will fly so high you will keep on going, never to walk upon this earth again."

Pleasant thoughts, indeed, for Lieutenant John A. MacReady, intruder flyer from McCook field here, to ponder over way up in the clouds as he all alone soars higher and higher into uncharted realms, fully aware that a single unwise move spells certain death.

Gobs of uncollected advice like this coming to the ear of American army flyers, as he prepares for the big job ahead—the breaking of all existing altitude records.

Laughs Of Fanatics

But MacReady laughs at them. And at the warnings from "scientific sources," too. Nothing can deter him from his purpose.

"Just the work of fanatics," he says.

Yet he admits there is plenty of danger ahead and on.

"You have to guard against cold, lack of oxygen and lack of pressure," he tells us. "The last is the worst of all. It becomes noticeable after passing the 30,000-foot mark."

"It shows up all the body's movements. On my last trip (referring to his 34,000-foot flight) I wanted to look at the tachometer. Believe me, it took me some time to make up my mind to do it."

"It probably was 40 seconds before I discovered I was gazing at the air speed indicator. It takes quite a while for a bit of intelligence to seep through your brain, under conditions like that."

Past 30,000 feet the air pressure is 14.7 pounds a square inch. By the time you get up to 40,000, the scientists figure it simmers down to 2.9 pounds. Maybe, I can find out definitely whether they're right on that point.

**DEATH AND FUNERAL  
OF LEROY E. BROWN**

The funeral services of Leroy E. Brown, prominent citizen and realtor of Richmond, Va., and brother of the late J. Thompson Brown, with whom he was associated in business for many years, took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Central Methodist church, being conducted by the Rev. J. N. Latham, D. D., pastor. Interment was made in Hollywood cemetery.

Mr. Brown was an uncle of Mrs. J. I. Conway and of Mrs. J. Thompson Brown, of this city, and well known to many in this city where he has resided. He was 65 years old and had been for years active in Masonry, being a past master of Fraternal lodge No. 53. He was for years associated with his brother J. Thompson Brown in real estate, and since the death of the elder brother, had been the head of the firm. His entire life had been spent in Richmond, where he was widely known and universally esteemed.

His wife and four children survive him. They are Miss Allen W. Freeman, of Baltimore; Leroy E. Brown, Jr., and Clarence E. Brown, of Richmond; and Mrs. John B. Swaitout, also of this city.

### Y. M. C. A. CLUB IS AGAIN WORKING

The Wantoknot club of the Danville Young Men's Christian association was re-organized yesterday morning with the following junior members of the Y. M. C. A. as charter members of the club: Matt Jordan, Carrington Harrison, Richard Blair, Paul Owens, Iverson Westbrooke, Joe Savage, George James, Harvey Blair, Randolph Bladley, Benford Sykes, Bernard Adams, Albert Ferguson, Billy Cannon, Cleveland Jennings, Spencer James and Melvin Blanks.

The following officers were elected: Richard Blair, president, Matt Jordan, secretary, and Carrington Harrison assistant secretary.

The regular meeting of the club will be held on Saturday morning, just before the junior gymnasium class Physical Director, George N. Savage, acts as adult adviser and conducts the Bible study. At present the club members are studying the "Travels of St. Paul."

The activities, however, are not to be limited to Bible study alone. The club also plans to make occasional visits to the various industries of the city and thus inform themselves of the processes of manufacturing. In fact this august spirit of the club is responsible for the name of the organization. The boys are enthusiastic over the outlook for the future and expect to greatly enlarge the membership roll in the very near future.

### OFFICERS MAKE A LIQUOR RAID

Officers last night raided two adjoining negro quarters on Spring street and found three gallons of liquor in the place occupied by General Hamlett. He of the military-historic name was out of the city, but Emmett Davis was viciously arrested and placed in jail. The quarters of Jim Woods, also were searched, but no liquor was found.

The officers had been informed that liquor was stored in both places and their informant stated that about 15 gallons could be discovered. However, by the time the officers had secured search warrants some of the liquor had been removed, it is thought.

The officers making the raid were Sergeant Martin and Officers Mayberry, Towell and Belton.

### ROCKY MOUNT NEWS

DOCKY MOUNT, Va., Dec. 1.—McDonald Birch, musician and entertainer, will appear in the auditorium Theatre Tuesday evening, Dec. 4, under the auspices of the local Masonic Lodge. Mr. Birch is the largest one-man show on the Lavaca platform and carries elaborate stage settings and paraphernalia, for the accomplishments of his many illusions. During his performances he keeps up a running fire of clean, wholesome chatter, and his audience is in a state of continuous laughter all through the entertainment.

The road machine for the building the town streets have arrived, and the street that are under construction are being put rapidly underway.

W. E. Woody has purchased the bungalow of J. N. Blair, on Claiborne avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Dillard and daughter Miss Elizabeth, of Winston-Salem, N. C., have arrived, and are the guests of the former's father, Judge P. N. Dillard. They left today for a tour to attend the football game between V. P. I. and V. N. I.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paige Dangerfield of Jenkintown, Pa., will arrive the first of next week, to visit Mrs. Dangerfield.

### COAL

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AT YOUR DRUGGIST

John Wall has returned to Augusta Military Academy.

Miss Augusta Webb of Wadesboro, N. C. is spending several days with her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Stocks.

Miss Annie Harris is taking a course at Charlottesville, Va., is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. C. Harris on Piedmont St.



LIEUTENANT JOHN A. MACREADY IN EARLY ATTIRE, AND IN THE GROTESQUE GARB HE WILL WEAR ON HIS ALTITUDE FLIGHT.

"At high levels you think clearly but slowly. When I reached the absolute ceiling I floated around for four or five minutes trying to decide how I was going to get down again."

"Getting down below the 30,000-foot level, the normal use of the senses returns. But a feeling of utter fatigue and exhaustion creeps over me. It takes a day to get back to normalcy again."

"Can he make it?"

That's the question on every tongue.

MacReady's trip already is raising more interest than the world series a Jack Dempsey bout or a race between two thoroughbreds.

—Mrs. J. J. Speer returned yesterday from an extended visit to relatives in Colorado and other points in the West.

—Dr. and Mrs. John M. Davis, of Lynchburg are spending the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Thomas, Stonewall Apartments.

## BROUGHT HIM HEALTH IN JUST ONE WEEK!

Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic the Only Thing That Could Help New York Man

Such a letter as the following shows beyond a doubt that Munyon's Paw Paw Tonic is an astonishingly successful remedy for general run down condition, indigestion, stomach or blood trouble.

It has been received from Mr. John Maroney, 235 E. 125th St., New York City, who says he believes a fair trial will convince anyone of its good. He says:

"To begin with I will say that after one week's use I find it a wonderful remedy. For years the only trouble I suffered from was heartburn and belching of the stomach; the rheumatism came within the last couple of years. I have gone to doctors, I have bought patent medicines for stomach and blood of every description, but all to no use. The only relief I ever got was from Bicarbonate of Soda, but that would not cure."

"My boss, Mr. Keenan, told me I should try the Munyon Remedies, Paw Paw Tonic. It costs only \$1 a bottle and can be purchased at any first class drug store."

Every man and woman who suffers from depression, eating distress, stomach heaviness, nervousness, sleeplessness or general ill health should try the Munyon Remedies, Paw Paw Tonic. It costs only \$1 a bottle and can be purchased at any first class drug store.

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Give yourself the happiness of surprising your family with a beautiful Christmas gift that is not only a wholesome home-building pleasure that will last a lifetime, but is also a coveted possession to be found on Santa Claus' Christmas lists.

Surprise the family with a beautiful piano or player from our present stock, which comprises the very best makes—the kind that Santa would like to be identified with. The piano—you can play it as you like it to sound. There's nothing at all mechanical about it, as it has expression devices easily mastered by a novice.

Don't put it off—make this your happiest Christmas. Our Christmas plan makes it so easy for you to purchase. Come in right away and talk it over. You will not be obligated in the least. Then, if you decide, we can make arrangements for Christmas Eve delivery. Our store is packed full of fine instruments, Grand, upright and player-pianos, victrolas, parlor organs, small stringed instruments and accessories.

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Feet in Comfy Styles, \$2.00 to \$3.00.  
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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE



# Paris Is Stirred By Death Of Boy

**Fourteen Year- Old Lad  
Who Described Himself  
an Anarchist Was  
Thought Suicide But  
Father Insists That He  
Was Victim of Atrocious  
Murder Plot — Creates  
Sensation.**

(By The Associated Press.)

PARIS, Dec. 3.—Not in many years has Paris had a sensation comparable with that afforded by the death of 14-year-old Philippe Daudet, who died in a hospital several days ago from the effects of wounds received in a taxicab. The newspapers of a week ago said that the boy had committed suicide, but Leon Daudet, leader of the Royalist movement in France, and father of Philippe, is of the opinion that his son was murdered "by an atrocious plot" and has asked the public prosecutor to act on an article printed in the *Libertaire*, the Anarchist paper, in which a visit of Philippe to the newspaper office was described.

Leon Daudet was told by the Prosecutor-General that the boy's suicide had been established beyond a doubt and that it would be impossible for the judicial authorities to do anything further unless he made a charge against some definite or indefinite person, or could make a charge of corrupting a minor or of criminal libel against *Libertaire*. The father agreed to these charges. Among the points requiring clarification today were where the boy spent the two days that elapsed between his disappearance from home November 20 and his visit to the *Libertaire* office November 22. George Vidal, editor of the newspaper, who wrote the article describing the arrival of Philippe at his office on November 22, has been extensively interviewed.

The newspaper story asserted that the lad described himself as an anarchist but refused to give any name except Philippe. He handed a

A Christmas Gift that will be appreciated all the year by all the family—a Dodge automobile.

## BEWARE THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

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## A Girl at 62 Because of a French-type Clay

**By Edna Wallace Hopper**

For 40 years I have been a famous beauty. I am a youthful beauty still. (On the stage I play young girls' parts, and I look like a girl of 19.) Many years ago French experts taught me the use of clay. That clay multiplied my beauty—made me the race of New York. Then clays were made and muddy, as many clays are still. Since then, French experts have perfected clay. They have made it white and clean and dainty. They have added factors which bring manifold effects. I now use that perfected clay, and call it my White Youth Clay. I am an example of what that new-type clay does for a woman of 62.

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# This Little World

By CASUAL STROLLER

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Small-town town spirit permeates New York. Few natives here will ever rise to defend the greater city when they hear it maligned. But let anyone cast aspersions on their favorite New York, Borough Park, or Williamsburg, and he will precipitate a storm.

For the unit of loyalty here seems



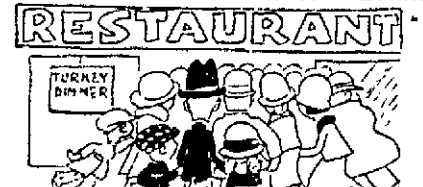
to be the neighborhood. In many cases this is limited to one block, where a thousand or more tenement dwellers learn to know each other's business at the corner grocers or butchers.

There is no old stove around which to gather winter evenings. But there is a counter on which to lean. And can mention when the housewives come down the Jersey shore, they get—and give—bits of the day's gossip. Before the day's over there is little that they don't know about each other.

New Yorkers don't go in much for walking. They seem to prefer the crowded subways and jammed elevated trains. On Riverside Drive, one of the finest walks in the world, overlooking the Hudson and facing the city, there were nine times as many pedestrians as on a beautiful morning last week on the esplanade stretch between 116th and 120th streets.

The flapper girl of Gotham is giving way to the flapper kid. No more does she saunter around with long coat open, muffler flying, and a smile that tilted at a rakish angle. Now she is growing up and she wants the whole world to know it. She wears expensive fur coats, hobbled at the waist, Parisian hat, or good imitation. She is developing an intolerance for the younger girls who are still in the flapper stage.

No longer are flappers forced to think up original toasts such as: "To the adieu," "Here's to crime," "Drink."



It down!" and the other banalities, which have been stock phrases of conviviality. For 1923 Prohibition New York has introduced a new toast that is going the rounds. Glasses are raised in speak-easies, private homes or clubs to the simple toast of: "Gurgle, Gurgle."

Old-fashioned turkey dinners that mother used to make seem to be passing from vogue. Most of them have given way to table d'hôte meals dished out at popular-priced restaurants. On Thanksgiving Day it was possible to edge one's way into the restaurant, peering up at the crowd by standing in a long line waiting for his next, which sometimes didn't come for two hours or more.

## British Election Outcome Uncertain

**Three-Cornered Contest  
Will Be Decided Thursday—Conservatives and Liberals Make Estimates.**

(By The Associated Press.)

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The Conservatives, says the Daily Mail, estimate that the new House of Commons will consist of 333 Conservatives, 157 Liberals, 20 Laborites and 6 Independents.

The Liberals estimate is, according to the Daily Mail, 248 Conservatives, 240 Liberals, 120 Laborites and 7 Independents, while the Labor prediction is 310 Conservatives, 160 Laborites, 139 Liberals and 6 Independents.

There is much uncertainty over the result of the voting next Thursday because of doubt as to how the 263 three-cornered contests will be decided. The uncertainty of the voting will be the result of the impossibility of gauging how the women will vote. The electorate of England and Wales is approximately 18,387,000 in which number are about 7,890,000 women; and for the most part the latter are keeping their own counsel. Doubtful of many eligible women voters are apathetic; having been brought up to regard politics as men's business, they are content to have it so and will abstain from voting. It is believed, however, that the number is likely to be much smaller than at previous elections.

The Laborites particularly look to the women to exercise the franchise as never before but the organizers of each party have made special appeals to the women and have shown keen anxiety to get their support. How the 34 women candidates are likely to fare at the polls is a favorite topic of speculation. According to one political writer, Lady Astor is the only one whose return is regarded as likely in any way certain. This expert also thinks Mrs. Wintlingham, who was the first woman to follow Lady Astor into the House of Commons, is in a fair way to return.

Lady Terrington, Liberal candidate in Wexcombe, Buckinghamshire, has found time to tell the public how she intends to dress when she goes to Parliament if she does go.

"I intend to wear my best clothes," she asserted. "I will put on my fur coat and my pearls. I don't believe in a woman politician wearing a dull little frock with a Quakerish collar. That sort of thing is all humbug. Every body knows I live in a large house and keep men servants and motor cars. It is sheer hypocrisy to pretend you are doing nice things when you display them openly in your own home and when you make social appearances."

This was clearly a jibe at Lady Astor, who, it is recalled, set the fashion for demure and unobtrusive style of dress in the Commons.

## Boy, 16, Weds Woman of 50

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 3.—Circumstances surrounding the marriage of a sixteen-year-old boy to a wealthy fifty-year-old woman will be thoroughly investigated, Aloysius McMahon, assistant prosecutor, announced today.

The announcement was made after Joseph Tucker, postmaster of Salem, Mass., father of Burton S. Tucker, the sixteen-year-old husband, appealed to the prosecutor's office for an investigation of his son's marriage to Mrs. Susan A. Simpson, owner of the Hotel Passadena here.

## Prather's Hearing Set For Friday

Garland Prather, fourteen-year-old Georgia boy, held for the murder of Clifton Hayden, his uncle by marriage, will be given a hearing in the police court on Friday. On Saturday afternoon a coroner's jury which heard the evidence in the killing squarely saddled the blame on the boy to the exclusion of all others.

There was evidence by relatives that the boy was incorrigible and that the Haydens had sought to reform him. The boy, however, when captured told the police that he had been frequently mistreated by them.

## FUNERAL OF MR. BRADLEY

The funeral of James Henry Bradley was conducted on Sunday afternoon at half past four o'clock from the home of his sister in law, Mrs. Mary E. Young, 1641 North Main street by Rev. J. C. Holland. Interment was made in Leemont cemetery. The funeral was largely attended Mr. Bradley, during his life here have established a wide leadership in all parts of the city. The pall bearers were W. E. Presnell, C. C. Hawker, E. Breeden, J. B. Waller, W. T. Hines, S. O. Barnes, Alec Anderson, and D. E. Osborne. The flower bearers were Mr. Shepherd, Gilbert Baker, Dr. S. E. Shadrach, L. J. Shorter, D. J. Dickinson, W. M. Nabors, C. R. Myers, H. B. Williams, J. M. Buck, George Davis, W. P. Booth and W. T. Jones.

The human jaw possesses only eight muscles, but it exercises a force nearly a quarter of a ton. The worship of the early Egyptians was derived from the phenomena of nature.

## Dr. Senter Inveighs Against the Tendency Towards Over Organization

A plea for less organization and an appeal for larger Christian service by the individual were included last night in a striking sermon preached by Rev. Samuel T. Senter, D. D., pastor of Mount Vernon Methodist church, which was filled to its capacity. Dr. Senter based his sermon on that passage of the Old Testament found in the Second Book of Kings, chapter 4, which details the raising of the Shunammite's son by Elisha the prophet after he had vainly essayed to delegate his miraculous power to his trusted servant, Gehazi. The Shunammite's son had been stricken in the field with sunstroke. The story tells graphically how the man was carried to his mother who held him "until noon when he died." She then placed him on a bed and sent hurriedly for Elisha to come and restore him to life. The prophet in this instance instructed Gehazi to carry a staff and to lay it on the dead boy. He did so, but with no result. Elisha then hastened himself to the stricken home, and the story concludes by describing the success which attended the prophet's personal efforts and methods of raising the boy from the dead. The analogy drawn from the story by Dr. Senter was this, that there is too great a tendency these days for people both in the church and out of it to delegate their responsibilities to others, men and women who, forgetting the meaning of the personal touch in charity work, may do it for the organization and expect by so doing to relieve themselves of personal attention of these matters.

Dr. Senter deprecated the multiplication of societies and while declaring that it was well enough to support the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the Salvation Army, which he mentioned specifically and at the same time said it was a waste of time

## NOT A MAN! Auto Fatalities In Virginia Less In Number Than Many Other States

By GEORGE MANNING  
(Washington Correspondent of Danville Bee.)



WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Virginia had one of the lowest death rates from automobile accidents in the country in 1922. Of the 37 states requiring death registrations, only Mississippi, South Carolina, Idaho, Kentucky, and Louisiana were safer for the pedestrian than the Old Dominion.

Virginia was also exceptional in having a lower death rate last year than in the one preceding, and the 1922 rate was not greatly larger than that for 1918. In the United States at large, the number of fatalities caused by automobiles has shown a steady rise since 1917, although the increase has been by no means so rapid as the growth in the number of motor vehicles operated.

In general, the large cities showed higher casualty rates from auto accidents than did the states at large, and this held true in Virginia as well, where the two leading cities of the state, which are the only ones for which figures can be obtained, reporting nearly one-fourth of the total number of fatalities for the entire state in 1922.

The toll taken by the motorists of Virginia last year, according to figures compiled by the U. S. Census Bureau and made public today, was 137 lives—at the rate of 5.8 for every 100,000 inhabitants of the state. The number of deaths from auto accidents in the five preceding years, with the rates, was: 1917, 54, for a rate of 2.4 per 100,000 population; 1918, 103, or 4.5 per 100,000; 1919, 16, or 5.1 per 100,000; 1920, 97, or 4.2 per 100,000; and 1921, 140, or 6.9 per 100,000.

The number of motor vehicles registered in Virginia in 1922 was 168,000, more than three times as many as the 55,000 in 1917. In 1918 there were 72,378 cars; in 1919, 94,120; in 1920, 134,000, and in 1921, 141,000. In the entire death registration area of the United States, which includes 85 per cent. of the population, the number of deaths from automobile accidents in 1922 was 11,666, or at the rate of 12.5 per 100,000 population. In 1917, there were 6,724 fatalities, or 9.0 per 100,000; in 1918, 7,525, or 9.3 per 100,000; in 1919, 7,068, or 8.4 per 100,000; in 1920, 9,165, or 10.4 per 100,000; and in 1921, 10,168, or 1.5 per 100,000. The number of automobiles and trucks in the United States last year was 12,238,371, and in 1917, 4,993,132.

Of the two cities in Virginia having more than 10,000 inhabitants, Richmond reported 20 deaths in automobile accidents last year, or 11 per 100,000. In Norfolk the number was 11, or 3.8 per 100,000.

## FOOTBALL SPECIALISTS

The open game of football has caused a number of coaches to specialize in certain features of the game. Harvard beat Princeton because Coach Fisher had a dependable kicker to rush into the battle when the Crimson got within scoring distance. Plaffman, a back who is just an ordinary player, his kicking ability excepted, booted a goal from the field that broke the tie and decided the game.

## Golfing At Pinchurst.

PINEHURST, N. C., Dec. 3.—Among the guests at the Carolina Hotel this week were H. R. Fitzgerald and J. H. Schoolfield, Jr., of Danville.

## Course of True Love Carried Him 10 Thousand Miles

(By Chicago Tribune Service.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The course of true love, famed for its failure to run smooth, has established a record in the case of W. Percy Emtage, electrical engineer, of the Barbados. It carried him 10,000 miles.

Three years ago Emtage first saw Sibyl Peterkin, also of the Barbados, and set out to get an introduction. He succeeded and followed it with a proposal. Miss Peterkin said she would love to be his sister and then packed up and departed for Boston.

Both wrote. Emtage's letters were pleading; Miss Peterkin's friendly and discouraging. Finally she quit writing altogether. Her last letter explained he was a "nice boy, but

This was six months ago, and Emtage decided Boston might be interesting. He went there. Miss Peterkin had gone to Los Angeles. Emtage went to Los Angeles, but she had left for San Francisco. He followed but she had returned to Boston.

Cheerfully he started back across the continent, only to find she had quit Boston for Brooklyn. He found her there in the home of her uncle, Edward Boyle.

Then Miss Peterkin gave up. They were married today in the municipal building and started for Hoboken in a taxicab to catch the Vestris, Barbados bound. When they got there the ship was in midstream. Emtage outtalked pier officials, hired the first tug within hail, and boarded the liner down the bay.

**The Beter Way**  
BURROUGHS—I asked you for a loan of \$10. This is only five.  
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557 MAIN STREET—UP STAIRS

## Cough, cough, coughing— all night long

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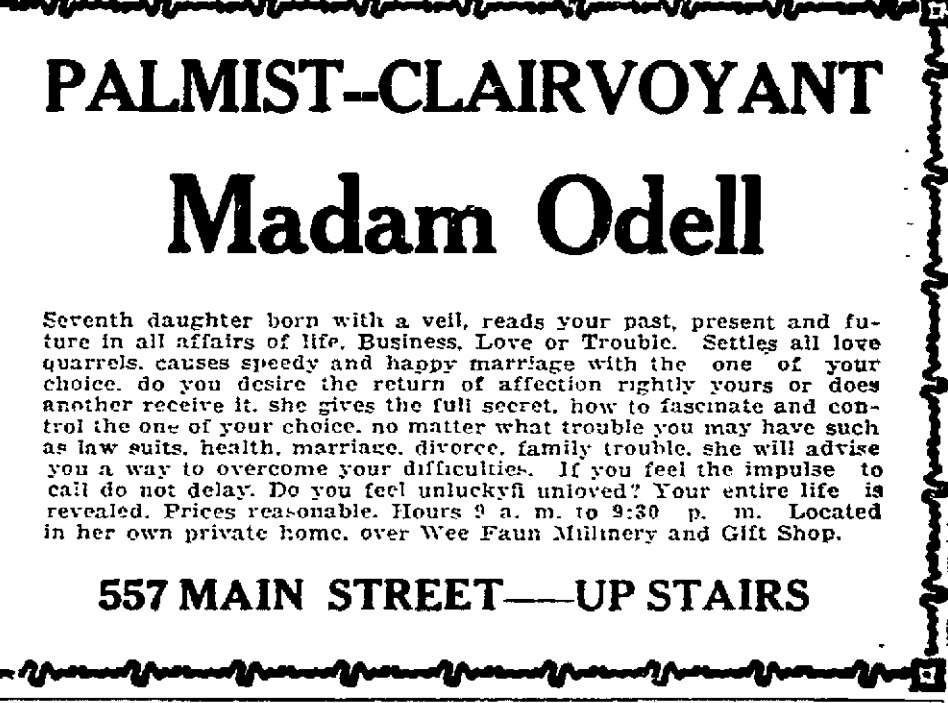
That cough—it keeps you awake at night, breaks your rest, wastes your strength, endangers the delicate tissues of your throat and chest—break it up now.

For more than fifty years, thousands of families have relied upon Dr. King's New Discovery to break up coughs. It does this quickly, naturally by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off the secretions that are clogging them. Harmlessly, and without any bad after-effects, it quiets the throat and lung spasms, and the irritation that is causing the cough then promptly clears up. It has an agreeable taste. All druggists.

## YOU CAN QUICKLY LIMBER UP SORE, STIFF, SWOLLEN JOINTS

**Even Chronic Rheumatic Swellings In Knee, Elbow, Shoulder Or Finger Joints Yield to the Mighty, Powerful Influence of JOINT-EASE.**

It's here, right in town and all live druggists have it. It's a low price remedy, to be sure, but that doesn't stop it from taking the kinks, lameness or torture out of your troubled joints. Joint-Ease is the name, so called because it is compounded solely for the purpose of relieving all joint ailments. Just rub it on the tormented, lame joints and in just a few seconds it will penetrate to the bone and blessed comfort comes quickly. It absorbs instantly and is to clean and soothe that you can rub it on often and get thereby, results more quickly, when the joint is inflamed and the agony intense. Being such a powerful counter irritant, it cannot help bringing speedy and lasting results in congestion, sore throat, chest colds, lumbago and neuralgia much quicker than almost any remedy you can buy. But you must remember that it is for joint afflictions that it is mostly dispensed and its helpfulness will astonish you after all ordinary liniments and other treatments have failed—adv.



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## Monroe Doctrine Saved Honduras From Being Taken

(By The Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—With the Monroe Doctrine, the national territory of Honduras might have been dismembered and over her lands in the Atlantic and Pacific there might be floating today the flag of a foreign power, Salvador Cordova, minister of Honduras to the United States, declared tonight in addressing the American Academy of political and social science at its meeting in celebration of the centennial anniversary of the Monroe Doctrine.

After giving a historical review of his country, Mr. Cordova said: "We have full confidence that, faithful to the spirit and tradition of justice which is the fundamental basis of her political and social structure, this great country will always be, not only the jealous defender of the Monroe Doctrine, under the shadow of which the other nations of this hemisphere are safe from the attacks of nations of other continents but also that, like an elder brother, the strongest and most prosperous of this hemisphere she will never forget that she has duties to fulfill toward them and that she will be to them an emblem on which is inscribed in luminous letters the world's equality, fraternity and justice. Equality, because, before divine justice, as before human, all men are equal; fraternity, because the martyr of Golgotha bade men 'love one another' and justice, because the principles which rule between individuals should rule in the reciprocal relations between independent nations."

### LATIN-AMERICA HELPED

(By The Associated Press.)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1.—The Monroe Doctrine has redounded to the benefit of the Latin-American nations defending them from those hostilities that endangered their independent life. Dr. Ricardo J. Alfaro, minister of Panama to the United States, declared tonight before the American Academy of Political and Social Science commemorating the centennial anniversary of the Monroe Doctrine.

"Under the ascendancy of the Monroe Doctrine," said Dr. Alfaro, "we have seen European ambition barred from the western hemisphere, the Democratic system of government established in all the countries of our continent the cause of peace promoted and the progress of inter-American trade increased to an astonishing volume and above all, the birth and expansion of Pan-Americans."

The speaker declared there was no doubt that a great deal of apprehension and misunderstanding existed among the people of the Rio Grande in respect to the foreign policy of the United States was due to a misconception of the Monroe Doctrine.

Commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the Monroe doctrine was continued here tonight when diplomatic representatives of several Latin-American countries delivered addresses at a meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

**OUCH! LAME BACK. RUB LUMBAGO OR BACKACHE AWAY**

Kidneys cause backache? Not! Listen! Your backache is caused by lumbago, sciatica, or a strain, and the quickest relief is soothing, penetrating St. Jacob's Oil. Rub it right on your painful back and instantly the soreness, stiffness and aching disappear. Don't stay crippled! Get a small trial bottle of St. Jacob's Oil from your druggist and lumber up. A moment after it is applied you'll wonder what became of the backache or lumbago pain.

Rub old, honest St. Jacob's Oil whenever you have sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism or sprains as it is absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.—adv.

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## Glad to Return to Death House

By JOSEPHINE VAN DE GRIFT  
NEA Service Staff Writer.  
SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 3.—"It wasn't worth it."

Dominick Delfino, who for five years kept the electric chair waiting while police scoured the United States and Canada for him, sat before a little pine table and drew imaginary circles on it with long thin fingers.

For Dominick is back in the Lackawanna county jail again and his spectacular escape of five years ago, wherein he battered one guard over the head, held two others at bay and staged a running gun fight with a fourth, is in small danger of being repeated.

"It wasn't worth it," says Dominick. And thus does this wiry Italian with the beautiful hands wave away the five years which he wrested from life.

Life was sweet on that morning of February 4, in 1918, when the last guard crumpled up with a gunshot in his arm and Dominick burst out of prison doors.

Now Struggle Begins. And then began a struggle of a different kind. It was a bitter cold day and Dominick, in his thin prison shirt and trousers, was freezing. A mild and a half away from the jail he gathered courage to knock on a door.

"Please, missus," he called, "I am freezing."

"Go away, you big bum," said the woman.

A quarter of a mile further Dominick tried again. This time he had better luck for though the woman was suspicious she gave him a ragged coat.

And now the police were searching the roads. Dominick lay down in the snow behind hedges and shivered until the police had gone by.

Little Laughter: Much Shivering.

By hopping freight trains and doing an occasional day's labor, Dominick worked his way into Canada. The stations and the fences were all full of the pictures of one Dominick Delfino, who had escaped from prison and for whose return \$1000 would be paid.

And Dominick put peroxide on his hair and eyebrows and stuffed out his lips with cotton.

"One thousand dollars! Why don't YOU try to get that money?" said a passerby to Dominick one day. Dominick laughed, but he shivered.

Little by little Dominick worked his way west to Vancouver. Sometimes he had good jobs and then went to the theatres and concerts. As much as possible he tried to keep in with the police so he would know when they were looking for him.

Once he slipped out of a side door just as the police were knocking at the front.

No matter where he turned, no matter where he went there was, always the fear of a heavy hand being laid on his shoulder.

Once, years ago, there had been a

Social Science. Secretary of State Hughes opened the centennial observance here last night when he spoke on the Monroe doctrine under the joint auspices of the American Academy and the Philadelphia Forum.

Those who spoke tonight included Jacobo Varela, Uruguayan minister to the United States; Dr. Ricardo J. Alfaro, minister from Panama; Salvador Cordova, minister from Honduras; and Prof. Philip Marshall Brown, of Princeton university.

Dr. Alfaro said the Monroe doctrine has redounded to the benefit of the Latin-American nations; defending them from those possibilities that endanger their independent life.

Senor Cordova declared that without the Monroe doctrine the national territory of Honduras might have been placed under a foreign flag.

The United States has no valid reason or right to arrogate to itself the sole interpretation of the Monroe doctrine, said Prof. Philip Marshall Brown. "This doctrine is essentially a Pan-American principle that concerns all the nations of this hemisphere alike," he said.

"The United States may at times be constrained in an acute emergency to take the lead in the defense of this principle but it cannot rightfully claim it as private property. The other nations of the American continent properly resent such statements."

Secretary Hughes unfortunately has seen fit to quote with approval from President Wilson: "That the Monroe doctrine was proclaimed by the United States on her own authority. It always has been maintained and always will be maintained upon her own responsibility."

"From the Latin-American point of view there is no sound reason either in the very nature of the Monroe doctrine or in the inherent right of every nation to safeguard its interests, why the United States should claim it as private national policy. The more we explain and disclaim the more these other American nations suspect our ulterior motives or accuse us of arrogance and bad manners."

There is no use denying the fact that the recent Pan-American con-

ference in Santiago served in a marked way to increase distrust and hostility because of this insistence of the United States that it could not permit the formulation of the Monroe doctrine as a Pan-American doctrine to which all of these nations could cheerfully subscribe on a basis of mutual equality and friendly confidence. Making due allowance for the Latin-Americans in their official comments on this subject, we should recognize that they cannot understand and that they keenly resent this policy. The possibility of a genuine understanding sympathy with these nations is becoming increasingly difficult.

Stating that the "relations of the United States with the other nations of this hemisphere are not regulated by the Monroe doctrine," Professor Brown said that these relations "certainly are affected by our interpretation of the doctrine, as in the case of Santo Domingo or of Mexico. But the policy, for example, of withholding recognition of new governments by diplomatic purpose has no proper relation to the Monroe doctrine. It is rather a most unfortunate instance of the offensiveness of American policy to the peoples of the other American nations and it has been productive of unhappy results."

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**CHILD RETURNS TO ROME POST**

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Richard Washburn Child, United States ambassador to Italy, sailed today on the steamship Samaria, to return to his post after a two month holiday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Child.

Asked concerning reports of his impending resignation, Mr. Child replied that he had no immediate intention of returning to private life.

"I am in the position I was when these reports were first circulated," he said. "I say now as I said then, I want to retire when my time is up."

He said he was returning to Italy, which he considered more friendly to the United States than ever since the war's end, because of two definite policies to be discussed with the Italians. These he discussed with President Coolidge at Washington yesterday, he said. He declined to outline the policies, saying that while they were not secret, they were too intricate for spontaneous discussion.

Asked concerning the recent utterances of Senator Carlo Schanzler, former Italian minister of foreign affairs, that America should cancel Italy's debt because the Italians had paid for the war in blood as against America's payment in money, Mr. Child answered:

"All that I can say is that Senator Schanzler is out of the Italian government."

**BIG ENVELOPE PLASTERED WITH GERMAN STAMPS**

(By The Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—A letter in an envelope a foot long and six inches wide with the envelope plastered with stamps aggregating \$144.551,019 German marks and addressed to a man in Kolo, Illinois, was received by the Chicago postoffice recently. The stamps represented ten cents in American money.

While the stamps represented a dime when the letter was posted, when the missive was received ten cents would have purchased about 2,000,000,000 marks and the marks on the envelope had declined until they were worth about eight thousandths of a cent.

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DOMINICK DELFINO

girl, Elisa, that Dominick was building a home for. But the home had burned down and Elisa married somebody with better luck.

Now, comparatively safe in Canada, Dominick's thoughts turned again to home and children.

"But that wasn't right," he says. "How could I bring my unhappiness to someone else?"

Then, a few weeks ago, in Nelsport, British Columbia, someone thought to ask Dominick how he happened to get into Canada. Dominick couldn't produce the necessary papers and they threw him in jail. The alternative was a fine of \$150.

Friend Gave Him Away. Dominick wrote to his friend, Joe, for the money. Once, in a burst of loneliness, Dominick had told Joe what his real name was and how he had broken from prison. The temptation was too much for Joe. Joe tipped off the police.

Now, though still protesting his innocence of the crime of which he was first convicted, Dominick doesn't much care what happens.

"It wasn't worth it," he says, "those five years spent in fear and loneliness. It is better to face things as they come. Once I had a dream. I thought people were chasing me and I ran into the church. Then, from above the altar, Jesus spoke to me. He said, 'Why are you afraid, Dominick? Nothing can take you from my hand.'"

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Colossal Sacrifice Sale - Of All Coats, Dresses and Suits Will Begin

Monday, December 3rd

This is an event that will be of the utmost importance to every woman in Danville and the surrounding country—Not a single item is to be spared in this final clearance of all garments.

## Two Special Groups of Dresses

**Group 1**

Including Canton Crepe, Satin, Charmeen, Poiret Twill and sport fabrics that sold up to \$35, go on sale at

**\$19.75**



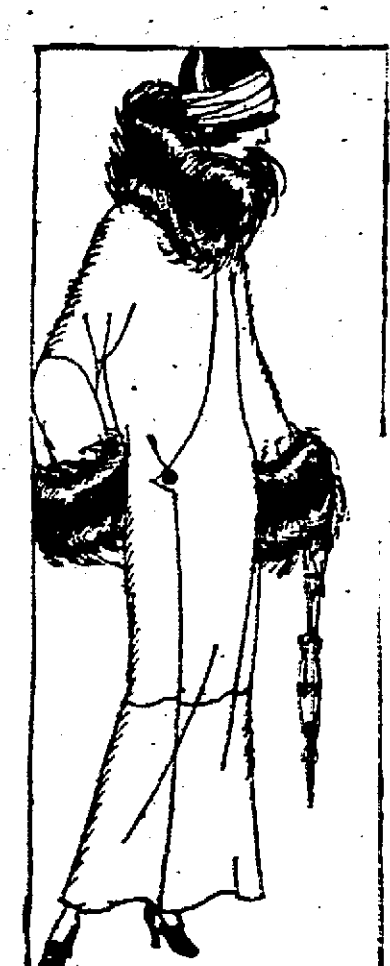
**Group 2**

Dresses developed in the latest modes in the finest materials, and the finest construction that sold up to \$49.50, go on sale at

**\$29.75**

All Other Dresses Including Afternoon, Street and Evening Dresses At

1-3 to 1-2 Off the Regular Price.



**Gorgeous Cloth Coats At 1-4 Off Regular Price**

These garments are fashioned in both plain and lavishly enriched fine furs of every wanted variety—Many with deep collar and cuffs of natural and Viatka Squirrel, Beaver, Fox and Platinum Wolf. The materials are Gerona, Marvella, Fashona, Arabella and other fine all wool fabrics.

**Sport Coats at 1-4 Off**

Many of these coats are made of very fine English material, in both plain and fur trimmed and are specially suited for school wear.

There Will Be No Reservations During This Sale, as Every Garment Must Be Disposed of.



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**A THOUGHT**  
 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour.—1 Pet. 5:8.  
 Without your knowledge, the eyes and ears of many will see and watch you, as they have done already.—Cicero.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1923.  
**CRITICISM AND SELF-PRaise**

An institution that resents criticism cannot stand. Nations, governments, religions, education, individuals all come under this premise. Israel Zangwill, European writer and lecturer, at the close of a recent lecture tour in the United States remarked that "the fact that this country is producing a school of self-criticism is a comforting sign that America is at last grown up."

The visitor's words were undoubtedly prompted by a bitter attack upon him by a certain few in this country when Zangwill in his lectures essayed to point out some of the "faults and frailties" of the American as he saw them.

That there are some in the United States who resent any criticism of self or country except favorable the attack upon Zangwill is proof. But the fact that there are many who were sorely embarrassed and disgusted by the attack upon this visitor is proof that the "school of self-criticism" found by Zangwill has been produced, not as he says "in being produced."

The proverb "No man is without fault" has ever found wide acceptance in the United States and the school has many American members which admits that there can be still further improvements in American methods of government, politics, national traits and national customs. While the more provincial, bigoted and complacent were disturbed by the criticisms directed against the United States and its people by Zangwill, there were many others quite stimulated and inspired by this appraisal from the outside.

In dealing with the follies and fancies of Israel Zangwill we are reminded of the day when we instructed him in the gentle art of riding a bicycle. He was in that early day an idealist and a man of pronounced views and a man without compunction in expressing them. We state this parenthetically to show that in his candid criticism of customs and institutions of this country which have brought a flood of counter criticism that he was not impelled by an exalted sense of ego to give voice to them. It is unfortunately true, however, that many of the lecturers from "the other side" have been too dogmatic and have undertaken their expressions from the platform based on an insufficient knowledge of this country—usually as matter of ideas picked up during their brief sojourn. The day is coming, we hope, when the lecture had will have had its day and that there will be a waning demand for tickets to hear them. Some of the speakers lured by the prospect of handsome box returns have done immeasurable harm towards the consolidation of the two countries. Invited criticism has often terminated a beautiful friendship.

**THE DECLINE OF TURKEY**

Apologies of the recent Thanksgiving Day and turkey dinner, a self-styled authority of the species megalops gallopae predicts the turkey will be as extinct as the buffalo in 20 years. Perhaps this prognosticator is right, but if his prediction comes true the consuming public will not be convinced that the extinction was the result of anything but the exorbitant price this Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner fowl brings. Analyzing this unusual prediction it is readily seen how its author may have been sidetracked in his calculations.

that the prediction was made on the diminishing propagation of the turkey without taking into consideration possible causes for that condition? Nobody knows better than the Great American Family that the only reason the turkey is sliding from his position on the festive board is the market quotation on his head at Thanksgiving and Christmas times. Had this seeker-into-the-future been a reader-of-men's-desires he would have seen that every American home would serve-up turkey browned to a turn on Christmas Day and for Thanksgiving Day dinner if turkey was in reach of the average pocket-book. All the producers of the turkey must do to increase their business and perpetuate the turkey is to meet the price the public is willing and able to pay. If it is found that turkeys cannot be raised to sell at an acceptable price, then a substitute for turkey on the family table is inevitable.

The consuming public does not ask that its welfare alone be considered in determining the market price of turkeys but that the producers shall receive a fair price for their product.

**SHALL SUPREME COURT BE CURBED?**

From an unexpected source comes support for the idea that the power of the United States Supreme court to declare acts of Congress unconstitutional be limited. John H. Clarke, himself a former justice of the high tribunal, in an article written for one of the great bar journals, suggests that the Supreme court refrain from invalidating laws when the justices are of different opinions on their constitutionality.

When Mr. Clarke's idea is analyzed, it really amounts to an appeal to the Supreme court to use its powers temperately. Frequently, a great case brings a half dozen opinions from the Supreme court justices. Some justices dissent, some concur, and some dissent in part and concur in the result. The former justice believes that when such a state of doubt exists among the greatest legal minds of the country, these minds should give the benefit of the doubt to the legality of a measure enacted by Congress—presumably in obedience to the people's wish.

**YOUR HEALTH**  
 By Dr. Clifford C. Robinson

**HEAD INJURIES.**

Two principal kinds of head injuries are those that come from contact and shock and those that result from blows. In injuries of the first kind, where the victim is usually thrown on his head, the result may be skull fracture or a fatal brain concussion. Another cause of severe head injury is through fainting or loss of consciousness. Sometimes the head strikes with such terrific force that skull fracture results and death follows without regaining consciousness. In injuries of the first class, little can be done by the layman, except to make the patient comfortable in a reclining position with the head slightly elevated. Insist on quietness and all absence of confusion. If you are sure about the manner and cause of the injury and no marks appear on the head or body, a cold compress or ice cap may tend to relieve the patient until the arrival of a physician, who should be summoned at the first possible moment.

In head injuries of the second class, a bruise, cut or severe face or scalp wound may result. Guard carefully against any infection from which meningitis, intracranial infections, brain abscess or phlebitis may result. Such wounds on scalp and face should be disinfected at once with iodine. If you have a chance to aid any person who is stunned or unconscious from brain or head injury, first flush the face with cold water, and if possible, rub the face with a cold compress. Be sure the person has not fainted by the loss of blood from such injury. Do not attempt any internal treatment or pour any water or other liquid down the throat.

**ATTITUDE OF U. S. DISAPPOINTING**

(By The Associated Press.)  
 PARIS, Dec. 1.—The unwillingness of the American government to appoint members of the republican commission's investigating committee is a disappointment to the French government and the members of the commission, inasmuch as they feel that the lack of American participation would greatly diminish the value of the investigation. The American attitude was not unexpected, however, and what should be done in such circumstances has already been informally considered. The situation in Germany is such that it is felt that the expert committee, even without the aid of the United States, must undertake to devise a constructive plan to restore the German economy's finances and the currency. It is expected another effort will be made to obtain American non-official advice through the commission turning toward the international chamber of commerce, of which H. H. Booth, of New York, is president, with a request that the chamber designate an American of distinction in the financial world to serve in an advisory way. The chamber includes 32 countries and is regarded in reparations quarters as sufficiently detached from government and partisan interests to be qualified to act.

Representatives, it is pointed out, would not be tied by instructions from any government. Mr. Booth now is in Paris, but he let it be known that he preferred not to discuss the subject unless it should take a more definite form.

**FLANNEL COLLARS**

For tailored frocks there are very snappy collars of flannel with pleated edges or a collar with a shawl collar is not to be despised for trimming purposes either.

## Scoop's Colyum

DRAKES BRANCH, Dec. 3.—(Grapevine Wireless)—A bit of Philosophy for a starter in the new week:  
 Mr. Mundy speaking:  
 Every time you have a bit of good fortune you begin to look for the joke. Now don't you? It is unfortunate for a person to become so cynical that the fact of good fortune in some particular should start a train of thought, before the enjoyment is a reality. If you would think of it in another way, that Nature balances up at one time or another, and take the unfortunate occurrence in a philosophical way, nothing would be so woefully sad as you seem to think. Enjoy the good things that come for the good there is in them.

And if human experience proves this to be a fact, it is a matter beyond your control anyway, why should you spoil the perfect things by remembering the unpleasant ones?  
 Be a philosopher, and be happier, but it need not keep you from striving for the best you can get. Since pie and Waffles are worth going after, fustian!

We are in favor of Dr. Samuel T. Senter's suggestion and move that the organization be perfected at once. He proposes a new society to be known as "S. S. S." Being interpreted, "Society for the Suppression of Superfluous Societies."

**Tangled Thoughts.**

I'm thinking  
 How nice it would be  
 To live with Mother  
 On the farm  
 The noise here  
 Wears me  
 Street cars passing  
 An endless line  
 Of people  
 Going in each  
 Of the four directions  
 It makes me wonder  
 Why must I live  
 Who live north of me  
 Why to be south?  
 Why if they live to the east,  
 When they cease Journey west?  
 When I was home  
 The quietude of the country  
 Grew so monotonous  
 Seemed to choke me.  
 Mother said  
 That was an odd way  
 To express it.  
 But that  
 Was the sensation,  
 I longed for the noise  
 Of the city.  
 I wanted to hear  
 The milk man,  
 And the ice man,  
 And the huckster,  
 And the endless wail  
 Of the phonograph  
 Next door  
 And now I am here.  
 That's the joke  
 Of which we all  
 Seemed possessed.  
 Whispers in my ear  
 And I want to be  
 In the country  
 —Margaret E. Rogers.

**Another Definition.**

"As the sun's rays warm and lighten the earth so one person's fascinations fascinate another."

Take this hint, O, boy and girl:  
 Do your Christmas shopping early.

"It's awful to be President and know that the 'Smith Brothers' are better known pictorially than you. But, then, people have been having coughs long before the U. S. started having Presidents."

It is strange, but it seems the other fellow is the one who needs all the reforming.

**The Man of Cheer.**  
 "I don't know how he is on the creeds—  
 I never heard him say,  
 But he's got a smile that fits his face,  
 And he wears it every day.  
 "He sees the good in every one;  
 Their faults he never mentions,  
 He has a lot of confidence.  
 In people's good intentions."

"No matter if the sky is gray,  
 You get his point of view,  
 And the clouds begin to scatter  
 And the sun comes breaking through."

"You'll know him if you meet him,  
 And you'll find it worth your while  
 To cultivate the friendship of  
 The man behind the smile."

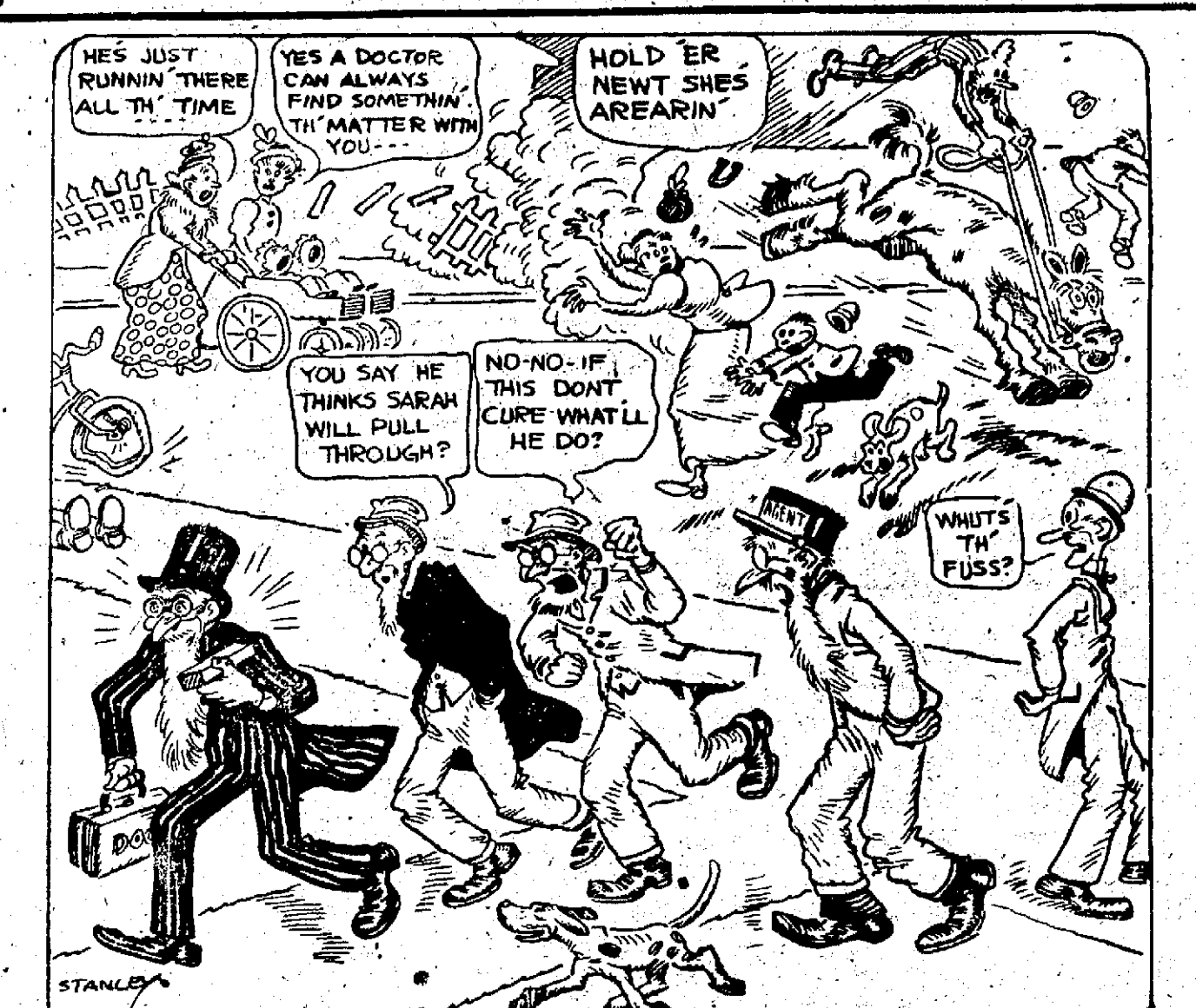
When the frost is on the pumpkin  
 And the overcoat is in lock, is the way Coleman Dalton sings it.

**MOODS**  
 You've read a lot about the power of the mind over the body. Don't forget the power of the body over the mind.  
 Chester W. Darrow, psychologist at University of Chicago, after thousands of experiments, decides that emotional thought is affected by bodily postures. No living writer could make as much from the sale of a work of fiction in book form alone. Plenty of opportunities. The problem is to recognize them when they are right under our noses.

**HUMOR**  
 The funniest letter ever received at the White House was addressed to President Grover Cleveland, writes Professor Robert McElroy of Princeton.  
 "Dear Sir—I am a young man who I would like to better my self. The business I am at is Junk business, but I would rather have the business in the cabinet of the President than in the cabinet of a junk dealer."  
 Not many like this letter, writes

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



DOCTOR PILLSBURY PREPARED A SPECIAL TREATMENT FOR AUNT SARAH PEABODY, LEADER OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF PIPE SMOKING, WHO IS SUFFERING FROM A BAD ATTACK OF ASTHMA.

It is hard for country folks to realize, murmurs Bob Williams that city folks laugh, cry and suffer, and scheme and skimp to make both ends meet, the same as country folks.

A man's backbone should be sufficiently long to keep him from sitting down when he ought to be on his feet going to it, and strong enough to keep him on his feet until he gets there.

"Monk" Clark says a train of thought never runs wild. It usually follows the track laid down by prejudice.

Bryant Heard says many a man who walks miles to reach the 18th golf hole, had a grandfather who covered the same distance going to a country church.

Correct this sentence: "I wear seven," she informed the shoe clerk, "and I am not at all sensitive about it."

Congress used to be measured by its memberships, now it is judged by blocs.

**Clady's Eden of Paradise.**  
 Where the streets and buildings are lined with mirrors.  
 Where silk sells for the price of calico.  
 Where all the men are Arrow Colar models.  
 Where Chaperoned Parties are passe.  
 Where there are no speed laws and plenty of country roads.  
 Where all other girls are dumb and she can talk without interruption.

Zeb Noonan, old cross-eyed dentist, is unable to walk where he's looking; he's not wins.

Absent Minded Chatham Parson to Discontinue Widow: "Well, Mrs. Brown, how is your husband standing the heat this summer?"

There isn't much excitement in a village except on the rare occasions when you forget to put out the cat.

**Self-Esteem.**  
 "Self-esteem is mighty misleading," said Uncle Amos. "When a pig grunts he thinks he's a sweet singer, an' don't suspect dat whut he's really appreciated for is his ham an' pork chops."

**YACHT IS SEIZED.**  
 NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The Dragon, described as a sumptuously equipped yacht was seized by customs men off Port Jefferson, Long Island, tonight and a large quantity of liquor was confiscated. It was reported to officials of the bureau office here. The yacht was said to be under Canadian registry, with a crew of six men.

get into public office. But plenty of them help decide the elections. However, ignorant democracy is preferable to the most intelligent monarchy according to American philosophy.

**REPLACING**  
 The railroads will have to spend 1870 million dollars for repairs and new equipment in the next ten years. This is estimated by Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

The future jobs of hundreds of thousands of Americans are assured by the figures.

The rapidly with which everything wears out and has to be renewed annoys all of us. But it's the greatest generator of prosperity.

**ABROAD**  
 American railroads now handle freight equivalent to hauling 420 billion tons one mile each year. Traffic experts say that this figure will increase to 550 billion tons by 1932.

You can't let too much on this country's future in any line. The business high-water mark of today is low-water tomorrow.

**CONGESTION**  
 Number of autos in our country increasing a fourth each year, says Raymond Beck, traffic expert. He warns that we're headed for a Babel of traffic congestion unless we begin planning our cities far ahead into the future, especially for winter streets.

It is really possible, though, to see ahead even 10 years in this matter? How long until the airplane will become the chief vehicle? Probability is we'll need all the motor cars we can get and just as many airplanes.

The rumor that Dempsey's European trip is made to help France collect reparations is untrue.

When you get your feet wet buy a handkerchief.

Another oil war is being started. One might call it the stormy petrol.

There are fewer children among high society because children don't pay dividends first 25 years.

## A MATING IN THE WILDS

by OTTOWELL BINNS  
 ILLUSTRATED BY  
 "RAMSAY" FIELD

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Hubert Stane is a discharged convict. He resents Helen Yardley when he cannot drift into dangerous waters. Helen is staying near a northern part of the Hudson River on his way to visit an Indian camp. An arrow shot in an attack on the cabin misses Stane.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**

"I will lie down," she said with a little laugh, "but I am afraid sleep will be another matter. My mind is in a ferment."

Stane lit his pipe, and seated himself near the stove. He had, as he had previously told the girl, little fear of any attack developing that night, and this anticipation proved to be the correct one. The still, dead hours passed in quietness, and when the gray dawn broke, he cautiously opened the cabin-door and looked out. Nothing stirred anywhere, either in the forest or lakewards. He turned and looked at his companion who had just emerged from her sleeping place.

"I think we have our little world to ourselves again."

When breakfast was finished and the necessary morning tasks finished, Stane, who had been in and out of the hut frequently and had kept a careful watch on the wood and lake, looked at Helen.

"Do you feel equal to facing the possible danger, Miss Yardley?"

"I am not afraid," answered Helen quickly, "and if I were I wouldn't own it—or show it. I hope I can't don't believe you would," replied Stane with a smile. "We will go out, first on the lake where we can survey the shore; and then along the path in the woods where we saw that man yesterday."

They walked forward for perhaps half-a-mile and halted at a point whence they got a wide view of the shore. Stane looked up and down the lake.

As time they reached the cabin without mishap. They had found no sign of the enemy of the previous night. If he still lurked in the wood he kept himself hidden and Stane hoped that he had withdrawn for good. But he determined to take no chances, and busied himself in the next few hours with cutting a good store of wood which he stacked in the cabin. He also chopped a considerable amount of ice which he stored as far away from the stove as possible. Some cached moose-meat, which was frozen solid as a board, he hung on the rafters of the cabin, which themselves were white with frost.

The short day had almost ended when he had completed these tasks, and he was about to enter the cabin, when through the dusk he caught sight of a figure, standing among the trees openly watching him. The girl proclaimed the figure to be that of a woman, and for a moment he was utterly startled. Then, acting on impulse, he started to walk towards the watcher, his unattended hand on the butt of the pistol at his hip.

**CHAPTER XVII**  
 The Attack

The watching woman made no attempt to escape, but some-when to Stane's surprise, awaited his coming. As he drew nearer he was again startled to find that it was the girl who he had talked with at Fort Malsun.

"Mistaken!" he cried in surprise. "You? What are you doing here?"

"I come to warn them," said the

## ANVIL SPARKS

The political pot is boiling. The thing is a regular volcano, throwing off steam and mud.

Just a few more presidential candidates and there won't be enough voters to go around.

Coolidge has appointed a new director of the military Home he makes more money than the other one.

Perhaps while wondering about Europe, a Denver editor was hit by an auto in Los Angeles.

Sad news from London. King George's niece will marry a Scotchman.

Jack Dempsey, the prizefighter, is going to Europe. While there he will not fight the German army.

The ex-kaiser wants to go visiting. He wants to visit Germany. Better carry his own lunch along.

Texas turkeys are said to be five pounds above the average this year. Bet it's all fat and neck.

New York handjiff robbed a policeman's wife and we'll bet he catches it for not working harder.

News from Paris. Men are supposed to wear knee trousers. Can't do it. Supporters would show.

Bass caught at Salina, Calif., weighed 48 pounds. Pity it didn't get away so it would weigh 100.

A singer was beaten by three men in San Francisco. But they were robbers, so it was not for singing.

Thirty-one were injured in a push-ball game in Atlanta, Ga. Let's make tax collectors play it.

Mr. Gallagher of Seattle, is advertising a "big" miss young wife. Let her go, Gallagher.

Sacramento (Calif.) bridegroom asks divorce because she won't kiss him, but maybe he has a mustache.

While there may be a difference between opera and comic opera all of it sounds funny to most people.

Never speak ill of a stranger. He may be a presidential candidate.

ever he might be the instrument for its execution. He looked at the girl thoughtfully for a moment, and as he did so a soft look came in the wild, dark eyes that were regarding him intently.

"Canst thou not leave the bright-faced woman, and I will show thee a way through the woods. We will go together."

"It is impossible! Quite impossible, Misskoddled," cried Stane almost violently.

He did not know that other ears than those to which they were addressed caught these words of repudiation. Helen Yardley, missing his presence about the cabin, had stepped out to look for him, and caught a glimpse of voices in the still air, had stood listening. The words, coupled with the girl's name, reached her quite clearly, and struck her like a blow. She did not wait to hear more, but retreated to the cabin.

She seated herself in front of the stove and stared into its glow with eyes that flashed with mingled anger and pain, the while she awaited Stane's return.

Meanwhile, the interview which had kindled such a fire within her had already come to an abrupt conclusion. For as Stane declined her suggestion Misskoddled lifted a warning finger.

"Hark!" she whispered.

In the recesses of the wood a fox barked sharply, and a second later the sound was repeated in two different directions.

"Ah," cried the Indian girl. "They come. Thou art too late. Thou wilt die for thy bright-faced woman now—once."

A second later she turned away, and began to walk rapidly between the trees. Stane did not stand to watch her go. Without an instant's delay he made for the cabin at a run, and as he entered it, breathing rather heavily, he flung to the door and dropped the wooden bar in place.

To his surprise Helen offered no comment, but sat there as if waiting for explanations. He offered none. Being unaware of her companion's knowledge of his interview with Misskoddled he had decided to keep the incident to himself, and not to alarm her more than was necessary. Seating himself, he lit a pipe, and as his companion showed no inclination to talk, fell into thought.

From outside came the crunch of moccasined feet on the frozen snow. He started to his feet, and took up his rifle, glanced quickly at the girl as he did so. There was a flush of excitement in her face, but the eyes that met his chilled him with their unresponsiveness. He held out his machine pistol.

"You had better have this, for the present, Miss Yardley, for I believe the attack is coming. But don't use it unless I tell you."

He took the pistol without a word. He picked up an ax, put it ready to his hand close to the door, and then extinguished the sun-lamp.

Blows of an ax knocked out the parchment of the window, but the barricade stood firm. The attack however continued and as the improvised shutter began to yield, Stane raised his rifle.

"There is nothing else for it," he whispered.

The next moment the rifle cracked and the sound was followed by a cry of pain.

There was a short lull, then something heavy smashed against the shutter and it collapsed in the room. As it did so a gun barrel was thrust in the opening, and a shot was fired apparently at random. The bullet struck the cabin wall a full two yards from where Helen was standing. Stane turned to her quickly.

"As close to the corner as you can, Miss Yardley; then there will be no danger except from a rickshot."

Then came a new form of attack. Arrows fired from different angles began to fly through the open space, making a vicious snarl as they struck various parts of the cabin. Stane calculated the possible angles of their flight and gave a short laugh. "They're wasting labor now. That dodge won't work."

(Continued in Our Next Issue)



**GREENLEAF FINED \$250 FOR PLAYING**

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Ralph Greenleaf, world's pocket billiard champion, has been fined \$250 by the

National Championship Pocket Billiard League for playing an exhibition match with J. Howard Shoemaker here last week in violation of league's rules. Previous to the action of the league, Greenleaf tendered an apology for his action.

Philadelphia who holds a contract for Greenleaf's services, a bill for damages next week for losses he claims to have sustained as result of the Greenleaf-Shoemaker match.

**IRISH LOAN IS SAID BE TAKEN**

(By The Associated Press.)  
DUBLIN, Dec. 1.—It is estimated that 7,000,000 P. S. of the Irish Free

clapsed since the opening of the subscription. This calculation is based mainly on the results in Dublin and it will be found that the loan is oversubscribed.

It is intended as far as possible to give full allotments to applicants for amounts under 500 P. S.

There has been no attempt to obstruct the loan but the Republicans are declaring that the free state will be disappointed by the time the loan matures, twenty-two years hence. This prophecy has not deterred the big financial interests, banks, railways and insurance companies from supporting the loan.

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66x80 Wool Nap Blankets—in a choice selection of colors—a truly great value  
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Women's Beacon Blanket Robes—with roll or square collar—Silk finish with cord—  
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Record Sale of  
Trimmed Hats

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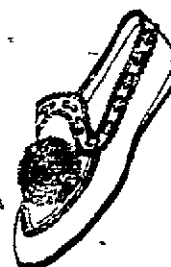
LARGE AND SMALL SHAPES  
At the present time when women are preparing for a holiday visit, the new Hat forms the most important part of Milady's attire. For the woman that is going to purchase a nice Hat, we offer a wonderful assortment of newest creations



Give Felt Slippers for Christmas

FELT MOCCASINS  
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Women's Felt Moccasins, nicely made—in all wanted colors and sizes—Pompon and Ribbon trimmed Especially priced at—Pair, 98c



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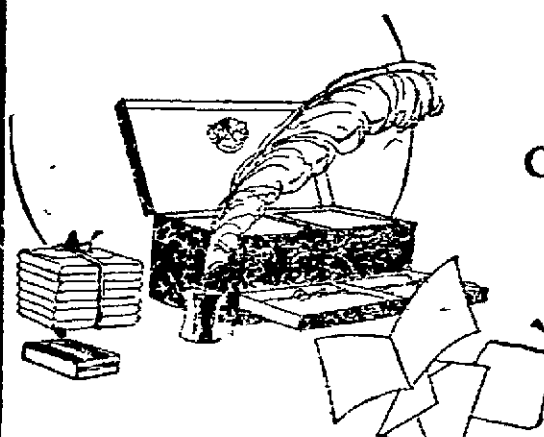
Horse on Wheels	29c
Mama Dolls	\$1.29 to \$5.98
Wagons—All Kinds	98c UP
Electric Trains	\$5.98 UP
Mechanical Toys	25c UP
Doll Carriages	\$2.98 UP
Kiddy Cars	\$2.98
Bizzy Andy Outfits	69c UP
Tea Sets	69c UP
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The Season's Newest Models for Men and Young Men.

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All models. The conservative Chesterfields in Oxford gray, with full collars. And the sporty Raglans and Ulsters, belted and half-belted models and box hocks, in every new shade and best of domestic and imported fabrics.

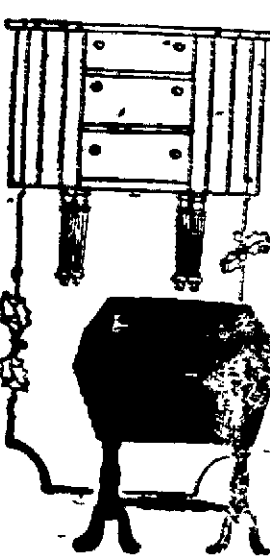
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Two, three and four button Sack Suits. Conservative models for business wear, and less conservative models for those that prefer them. The most wanted fabrics, authentically styled



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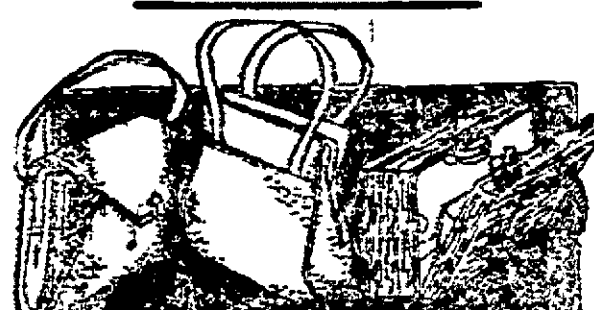
**Handsome Table Lamps**  
A splendid assortment from which you may choose—Pleasing **\$14.95**

**Boudoir Laps—Special**  
Mahogany base with beautiful braided silk shades—in all wanted colors—Each **\$2.48**

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Prompt Service  
Free Delivery

No. 2 can Delmonico Black Cherries	23c
Pineapple Jam—Quart Jar	45c
1 lb. can Heinz Plum Pudding	43c
Chalmers Gelatine—At Package	15c
Cluster Raisins Per Pound	17c
Fancy Mixed Candy—Pound	25c
Auerbach's Fancy Candy—@ Box	69c
Dunbar's Pitcher Molasses—2 lb 3 oz.	23c
Paradise Dates Per Package	21c
Seedless Raisins Pound Package	14c



## Novelty Hand Bags

Expressing Sentiments of the  
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Handsome Bags—Developed of genuine leather—Metret lined—in many new shapes and designs—Equipped with change compartment and mirror—Tan, brown and black. A special purchase effected by use some time ago makes possible this absurdly low price—Come early for first choice

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56c Azura Face Powder	79c
40c Matis Face Powder	39c
25c Woodbury's Facial Powder	19c
Pompeian Beauty Face Powder	48c
28c Cuticura Soap—Cake	19c
3 Cakes Palmolive Soap	25c
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste	39c
Colgate's Tooth Paste—Large	25c
45c Ponds Vanishing Cream	29c
60c Pompeian Massage Cream	48c

Extraordinary Sale

## Men's Outing Pajamas

All Sizes

**\$1.98**

High Quality—Well made of heavy fleeced outing flannel—Raid trimmed—Many patterns to choose from

Excellent Hose

Excellent quality hosiery thread hose in all colors and sizes—Pair **25c**

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Heavy wool pull over style—Ideal for school wear. All sizes **\$3.48**

Hanes U. Suits

For boys of 6 to 12 years—Made up just like dad's—Ankle length—with long sleeves and elastic cuffs **98c**









## "Petticoat" Plan Defense Given Up

(From Tobacco Growers News Bureau.)

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 1.—What is popularly known as "Petticoat Defense" for breach of contract has been completely demolished in a case tried this week against members of the Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, according to a summary given out here by the legal department of the association.

In Halifax county, Virginia, before Judge Barkdale, the defendant, J. L. Hardie, claimed that the land upon which tobacco was grown, belonged to his wife, and that he worked for his wife for forty dollars a month. The court held that this was not fact but a pretense device to avoid his contract with the association and judgment was entered in favor of the association for two hundred and fifty dollars in damages and fifty dollars for attorney fees.

In another case against Millous & Sons, whose tobacco was sold under association judgment, was in favor of the association with damages of \$79 and \$25 attorney fees. W. K. Dixon, also of Halifax county, set up the defense that his tobacco was sold under debt due his mother. The association obtained judgment against him for \$205 in damages and \$35 attorney fees.

The other members were held in contempt of court for selling after an injunction had been issued but Judge Barkdale imposed a fine instead of contempt since this was the first contempt case in his court for years. These decisions in Halifax county are regarded as sweeping victories for the association since the court held that neither cultivation nor land ownership excuses a member for non-delivery under his contract with the association.

Yesterday at Graham, N. C. R. B. Dixon was sentenced to 30 days in jail for contempt of court for violating an injunction issued against him by Judge Devin. It was brought out that Dixon had sold his tobacco outside the association following serving of a restraining order by him.

Arson Sarno, general counsel of the association, is now in Virginia where he has already made two addresses and is scheduled for a third at Richmond December 4. During the last week the association receipts from all belts ran over nine million pounds.

## ALBEE IS NAMED ON FOUNDATION

(By The Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Edward F. Albee, manager of a chain of the theatres and great-grandson of a Revolutionary war patriot, today was named national chairman of the Thomas Jefferson memorial foundation's movement to acquire the former president's home, Monticello, for a public memorial.

Mr. Albee's great grand father, William Albee was one of the band of 30 colonial volunteers who several months before the first battle of Lexington won the first recorded naval victory of the Revolutionary. History says they sailed forth from Machias, Maine, in row boats one dark night in 1775, and attacked and defeated the crew of the British ship Marguerite, saving their prize into port.

## WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD

So Writes Mrs. Dix, All  
Her Life, A Sufferer  
Until She Tried Benedic-  
tina — Nature's  
Friend to Woman.

"I feel like I ought to write to you about Benedic. I have been sick nearly all my life and have taken medicines from doctors but they did me no good. I tried Benedic. and I think it is worth its weight in gold. Benedic. has done me more good than anything I ever found and you can use the letter and also name for it I can help to place Benedic. in the hands of any suffering woman I will be glad to do so."

Mrs. Carry E. Dix, Schoolfield, Va. For more than 50 years, hundreds of grateful women have been writing letters like the above about the relief brought them through Benedic. nature's own harmless herb and root compound for the many ills and pains women suffer from. If you, as many women do, suffer from irregularities, backaches, displacements and nervousness, get Benedic. from your druggist today. Benedic. is sold and recommended by J. C. McFall's Drug & Seed Store, 108 N. Union St. Trenton, N. J. 671 N. Main St., Jones Drug Store, Schoolfield, Va.—adv.

## DOSE OF "STRAP OIL" MIGHT HAVE SAVED BOYS

By ALEXANDER HERMAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Good, sound paddlings, administered by their fathers when they were boys, might have saved three young men from going down the path that lead to the murder trial courtroom—and beyond.

But their parents were too kindly, and the lure of adventure too great. So Tony Pantano, 23, Joe Diamond, 21, and his brother Morris, 27, find themselves in the toils of the law, with the death penalty not improbable.

All three are charged with the murder of two bank messengers who were shot down and killed by a gang that robbed them of \$43,007.

"It's the parents' laxity and failure properly to direct their children that leads to crime," says George Russell, legally vice president of the Marshall Stillman Movement that helps ex-convicts get back and keep straight. "Had these three boys had such direction their entire lives might have been different."

"The boys were not brought up in poverty. They took the path they did because there was no one to stop them except their parents—and they seemed to let their great kindness stay them from rigid direction."

"It's a failing too common with some loving fathers and mothers."

All three were "thrift" boys. They lived in large, comfortable homes in Bensonhurst, a prosperous suburb, and had everything they ever desired.

Morris was star on his high school football team, "Whitey," they called him.

Joe was a favorite of the neighborhood.

And Tony went to night school to finish his course when he started helping his father in business.

All lived at home with their parents, surrounded by all the comforts of a good home life.

But now they are in cells awaiting trial for murder.

"It's unbelievable," says Pantano, senior. "My Tony is a good boy. He always was a good boy. He was home-loving, studious. He never was rough."

In fact he never played football



MORRIS DIAMOND (CENTER) HANDCUFFED TO HIS BROTHER, JOE (RIGHT), GUARDED BY A DETECTIVE.

or any other strenuous games. I would not let him, for I was afraid that he might get hurt.

"After school Tony would always come right home and help me in my store. When he was graduated he went to work for a large wholesale house. Then, about two years ago he went into the bank. He quit when the hours became too long, and interfered with his night school work."

Yet this is the boy who the police say helped plan a robbery that ended in a double murder.

The elder Diamond, now dead, was no less a loving father. He built up a large wood company for his two boys. When he died two years ago he left a fortune estimated at \$150,000.

Shortly after his death Morris, the elder of the boys, got into his first

jam with the police. He was arrested for carrying a gun in November, 1922, he was charged with stealing an automobile in Connecticut. He was sentenced to six months in jail.

Joe, the younger brother, has always been slender, weak, often sickly.

Yet he, and Tony, the student and Morris, the football idol, are believed by the police to be the principals of a gang of gunmen, automobile thieves, murderers.

And this 1923 tale of lust for money, midnight planning in suburban outskirts, wild flights and doublecrossing, has for its master minds, according to the police, these three young men whose way through life might have been smoother had they in younger days been treated occasionally to a dose of "strap oil."

## OLD PRISONERS MADE AS GOOD OR BAD AS NEW

(By The Associated Press.)

SAN QUENTIN, Calif., Nov. 29.—Old men, inmates of the state prison here, who have apparently been rejuvenated by means of gland transplanting, proved keen rivals for younger men today in the prison's sixteenth annual Thanksgiving Day field events.

John Pearson, 70, star sprinter, and one of those who have received new glands through surgery, finished second in the fifty yard dash in which there were several participants, all younger than Pearson.

"Chief" Evans, an Indian, won the 100 yard dash and the low hurdles events. "Franchise" Obligator won the prison pie eating contest for the second successive year.

Several San Quentin prisoners have recently undergone gland transplanting operations, voluntarily making the experiment. Most of the operations were pronounced satisfactory.

## Says Congress Will Understand

JUST FOLKS

Magnus Johnson revels in his humanity. He is one of the great masses and glories in the fact.

The homely philosophy which is his, has carried him to high places in the nation. It is primarily responsible for his elevation to the U. S. Senate as Minnesota's dirt-farmer choice.

There is something spontaneous about this man which immediately recommends him to the heart.

Herewith is the first of four and articles he has prepared especially for The Bee. Be sure to read the others. They constitute an education in sincerity and frankness.

By MAGNUS JOHNSON

U. S. Senator From Minnesota  
Written Expressly for The Bee  
and Sea Service.

The fear has been expressed in some quarters that people here in Washington will not be able to understand my "broken English."

My wife was born and raised in Minnesota.

She was never out of the state until we moved to Washington.

She doesn't understand a word of Swedish, being of Scotch extraction several generations.

Great Lakes be authorized. Jacques Bureau, Minister of Customs, excise, whose department is interested primarily in proposed amendments to existing regulations, did not attend today's meeting, but is expected to take part in the discussions tomorrow.

ICEBOAT BLOCKADE PLANNED TO CHECK CANADIAN LIQUOR

DETROIT, Dec. 1.—Iceboats probably will be added to the equipment of the prohibition enforcement unit here in an effort to maintain an effective blockade against liquor running from Canada. E. L. Porterfield, assistant national prohibition commissioner, announced.

Declaring that during the last ten days a blockade of unprecedented effectiveness has been maintained along the border from Port Huron to Monroe, Mich., a distance of approximately 100 miles, Mr. Porterfield said that when ice forms the prohibition forces would concentrate at points where ice crossings are possible.

"It is probably then that we will add iceboats to our equipment," he added.

OTTAWA, Nov. 29.—Canadian and United States representatives at the international conference on liquor smuggling, which opened today, agreed to maintain strict silence regarding the negotiations and discussions which take place. Nature of the agenda submitted by the Americans was not revealed, but presumably it was confined to proposals outlined at Washington yesterday.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Moss, head of the American delegation, refused to discuss what was done at the preliminary session. Canadian officials, who remained in conference after the joint session had adjourned, likewise declined to outline their attitude on the tentative proposals of the United States.

The presence at the conference of Alex Johnson, Deputy Minister of Marine, indicated that his department was concerned with suggestion of the United States that Canada prohibit clearance of ships destined for United States ports with liquor cargoes and that search and seizure of liquor smuggling vessels on the

## SEARCH MADE FOR ACTUAL SLAYERS

(By The Associated Press.)

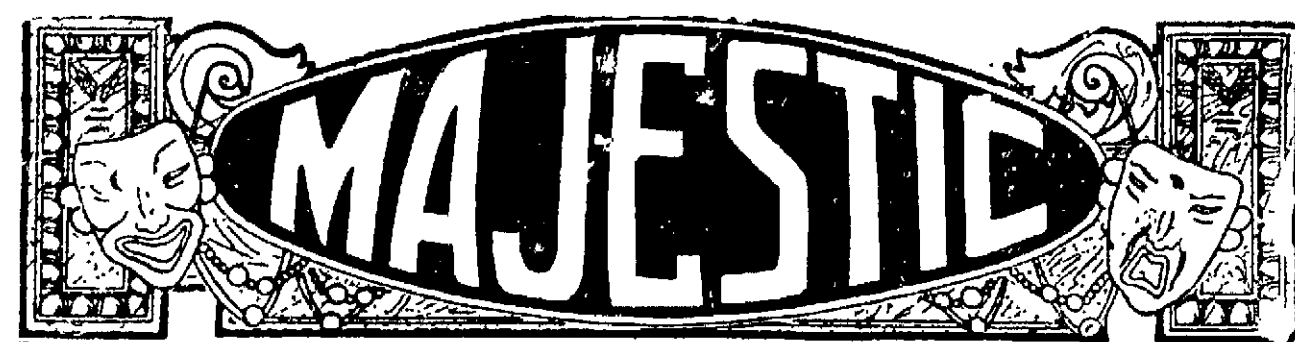
NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The search for the actual slayers of the two West End bank messengers who were shot down and robbed of \$43,000 in a Brooklyn subway station two weeks ago has been extended to Canada. It was learned that two New York de-

tectives are in Toronto working with the full cooperation of the authorities of that city. A score of detective also are scouring large cities of the country while in every city the local police are cooperating.

Two men are sought for the actual slaying, their identification having been revealed by the eight suspect under arrest. A third man wanted to complete the solution of the crime the driver of the automobile which the slayers escaped, also was named

to the police. The alleged accomplices under arrest, several of whom have confessed, identified the men out of revenge, claiming they were "double crossed" by the actual murderers who fled with all the money but \$9,000.

Anthony J. Pantano, the diminutive prisoner who confessed, after previous denials, that he originated the plot, was accused formally in police court today of murder in the first degree and robbery.



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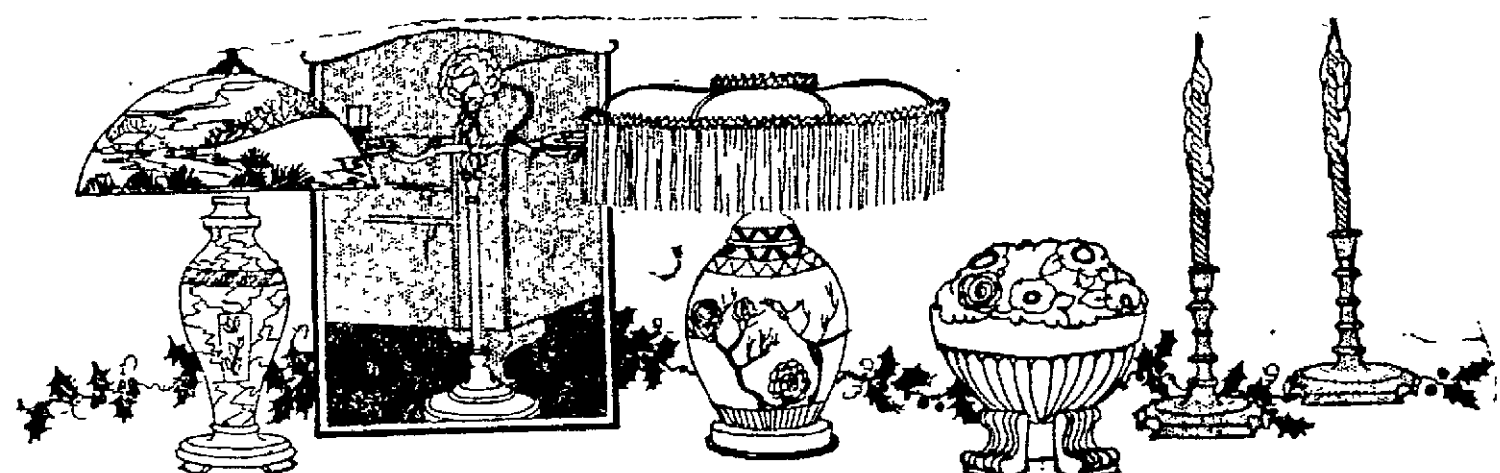
WHITTIE—Champion Rope Jumping Dog of America.

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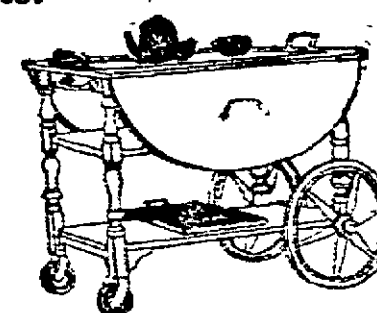


## A New Gift Shop For Danville

Hundreds of unique, useful and ornamental articles, ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$10.00. Realizing the need of a better line of gifts, we have displayed near our drapery department a rare collection of domestic and imported things suitable for gifts. You will do well to look these over before making any purchases. We also have many novel and odd pieces of furniture which are always appropriate for gifts.

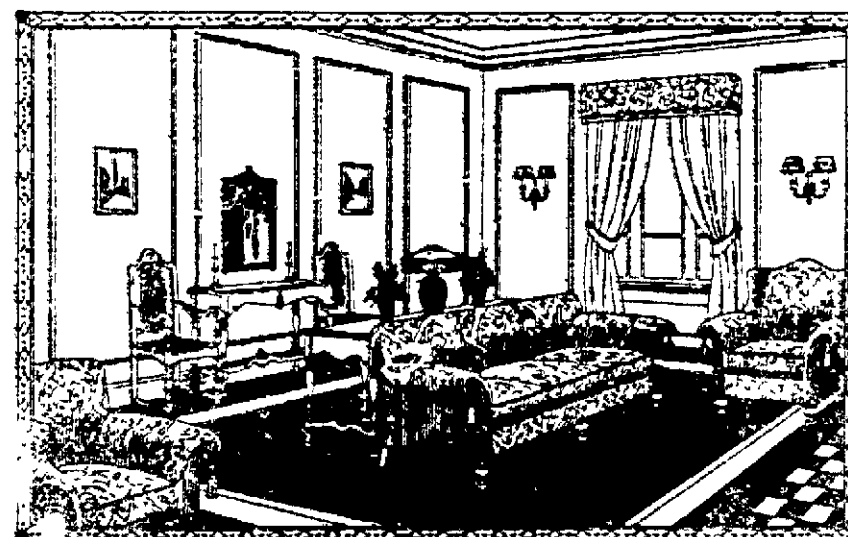
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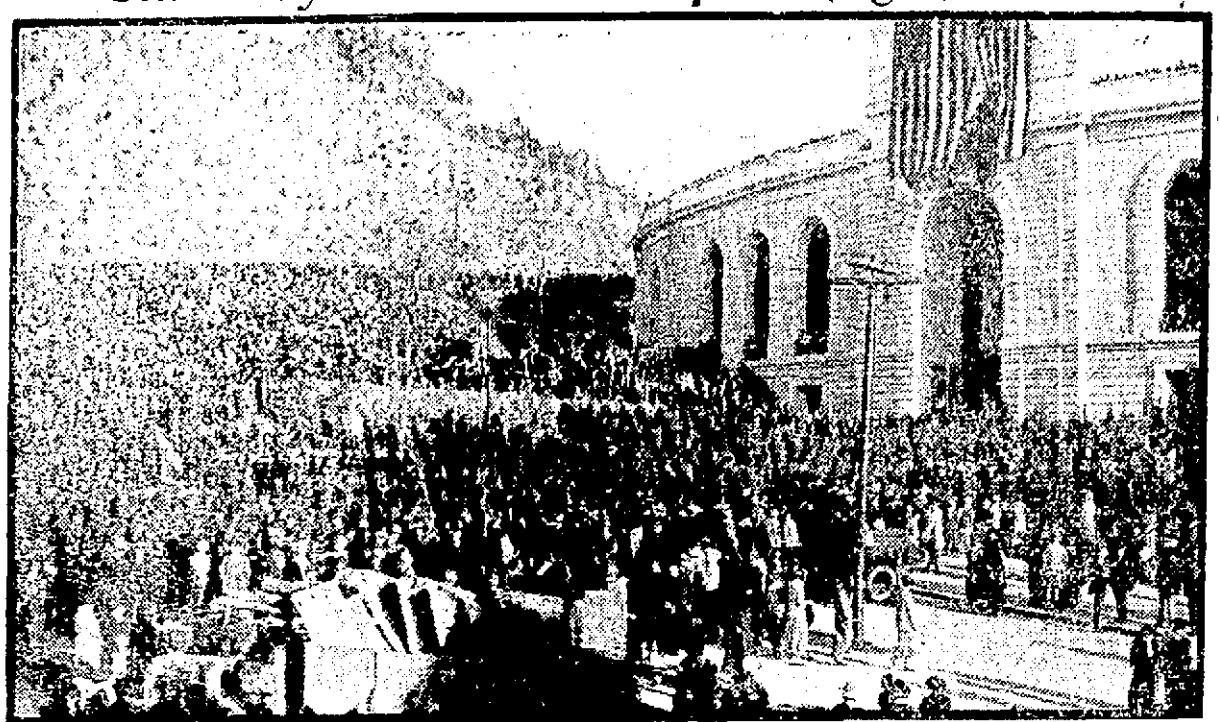
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## CLEMENTS, CHISM & PARKER



# LAST MINUTE PHOTOS *WHO'S WHO WHAT'S WHAT* IN THE NEWS

## University of California Opens Huge Stadium



## Dodging the Noose



Who did it? is question Chicago police are asking after Katherine Malm (left) and Ethel Beck confessed separately to aiding accomplices in murder of Edward Lehman. The prosecutor doesn't know which to believe.

(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
With appropriate ceremonies the new stadium of the University of California was dedicated just before the game with Stanford, attended by more than 75,000 spectators. It was built in memory of the university's war dead.

## Advice



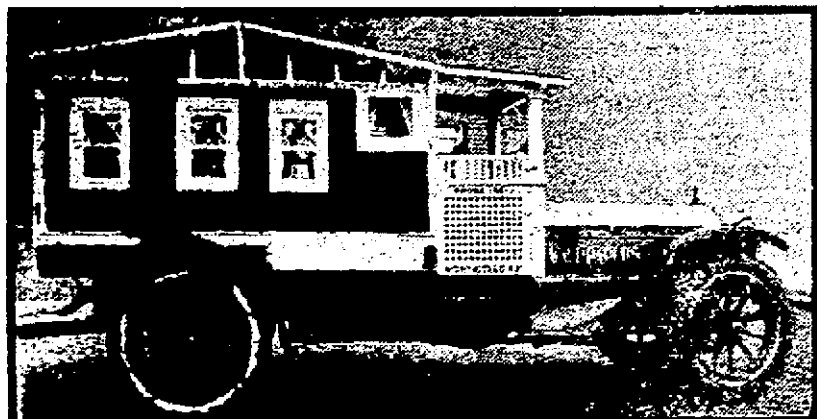
(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
"A twenty-one-year-old baby has no business marrying a bald-headed rich man," said Mrs. Joseph Cooper (above), suing rich Kansas City, Mo., husband for divorce.

## Women of Fascisti Honor War Dead in Rome



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Fair Fascisti recruits at Unknown Soldier's tomb in Rome on the first anniversary of the formation of the Fascisti movement in Italy.

## Just Room Enough for Two



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
An exact duplicate of modern bungalow, with exception of the rolling foundation, is this miniature built on truck by Monticello, N. Y., business man.

## Unique



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
A unique stunt was pulled by the University of California during recent football game when a large number of balloons, attached to a truck, were turned loose, as shown above.

## A Windy Spot



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Pedestrians had hard time navigating during recent rain and wind-storm that swept Atlantic Coast. This woman said good-bye to hat when fickle currents caught it.

## On Long Flight



When Lieuts. F. O. Rogers (left) and M. D. Palmer end Haiti to St. Louis flight and return, they'll have traversed 10,953 miles, longest American air journey.

## Pinchot's Niece on Stage



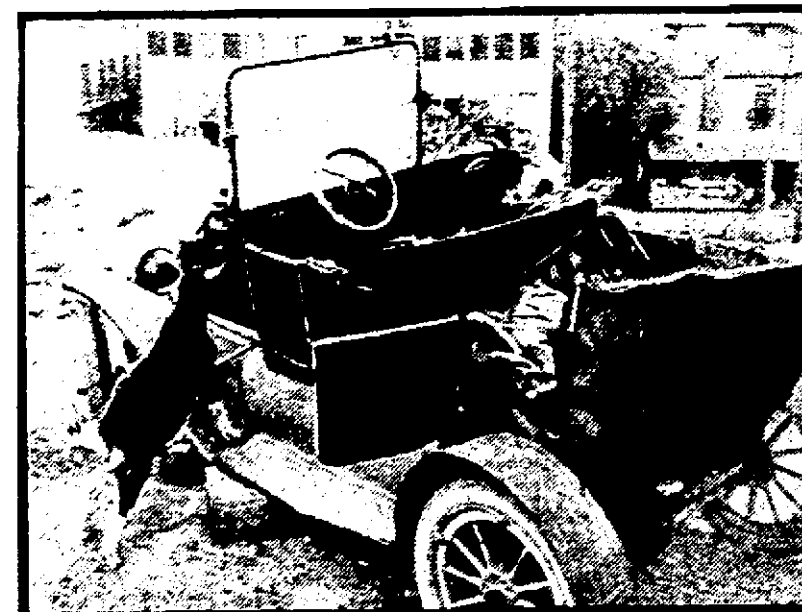
The role of nun in Max Reinhardt's play, "The Miracle," will be taken by Rosamond Pinchot, niece of Gov. Pinchot. Photo shows her at first dress rehearsal.

## White House Kennel Growing



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
A white collie, gift to President Coolidge from Wisconsin admirer, arrived at White House in time for the Thanksgiving dinner, in which kennel shared.

## Tin Lizzie Dessert for Goats



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Parking his flivver on vacant lot with two goats proved disastrous for Los Angeles man, who found large portions of his machine, including some tin and trimmings, had made a meal for the goats. Photo shows them still feasting.

## Fast Train Caused This Wreck



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Plunging through open switch outside Chicago, a fast St. Paul train plowed into string of empty coaches. Only one person, luckily, was injured.

## When Chicks Teach the Roosters



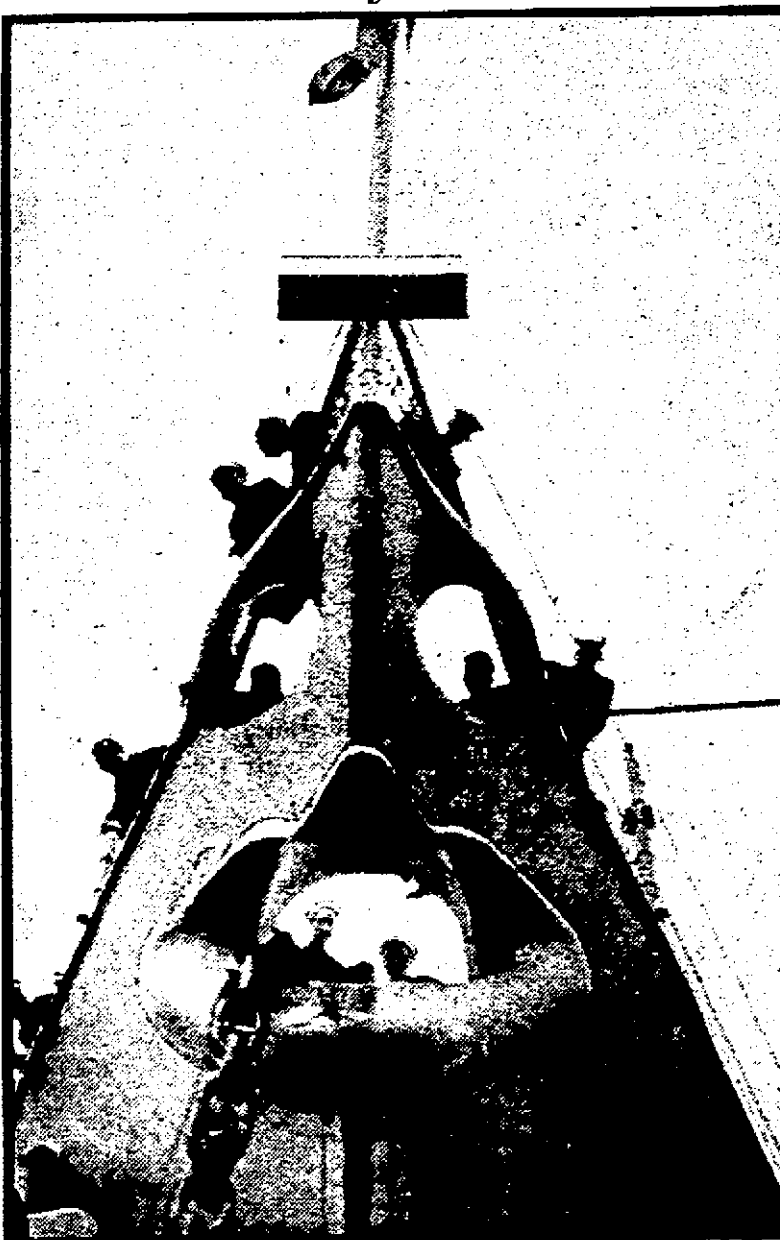
(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
How he overcame the boll weevil and raised a bale of cotton on an acre of land was told by Winifred Wiles (right) to one of the oldest farmers in Spalding County, Georgia. Winifred was one of thirty boys in the county who made this record. They all cleared \$125 on each bale of cotton.

## Irene Castle Catches Third Husband



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
For the third time Irene Castle Treman embarks on the sea of matrimony. This time the dancer's heart has been won by Frederic McLaughlin, Chicago millionaire. McLaughlin has been previously wed and divorced.

## Funny Face



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
This is not the skull of some prehistoric monster, but the bow of the U. S. S. Colorado, the Navy's greatest fighting unit. The eyes and mouth are holes for anchor chains. This photo was taken from bottom of drydock while Colorado was being painted.

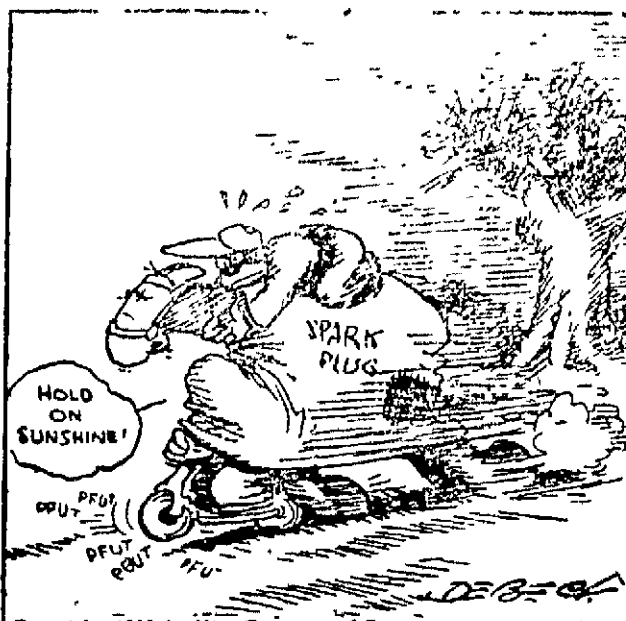
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# BARNEY GOOGLE and SPARK PLUG

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STOP, LOOK AND LIKE IT  
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## Ump. Rowland in Receptive Mood For Manager Job

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Clarence Rowland, who was a member of the American League staff of umpires last year, is said to be in a receptive mood for a major league managerial berth.

Rowland did very well in his first year as an umpire. It is said he is far more partial to the job of manager. It took him only a year to discover that there was far more glory in leading a winner than being an efficient umpire.

Had not Ty Cobb decided to take a whirl at managing, Rowland would have probably been placed in charge of the Detroit team as Owner Frank Navin is said to have looked on him with favor.

Rowland, who came to the majors from the bushes, had a fairly successful career as manager of the White Sox. He won a pennant and world series, an honor much cherished by every manager.

At present the only possible vacancy in the American League is Washington and it is understood that Owner Clarke Griffith looks with favor on a playing manager.

## W. & L. HARRIERS VICTORS IN RACE

RICHMOND, Dec. 1.—Washington and Lee Harriers won the fourth annual cross country run for the Times Dispatch cup, repeating their success of last year. University of Virginia was second with 32 points while the victors, by the rule which scores the winning team the lowest number of points, had 31. The contest was staged on the grounds of the Country Club of Virginia.

Lane Howard, Washington and Lee captain, finished the four and one-half mile course first, while Rosenberg, of Virginia, trailed him by but 150 yards. Tom Decker of the University of Richmond, finished third. Virginia won the first two annual contests for the cup and is now tied by the winner of today's event.

Speeding Up  
EFFICIENCY EXPERT (to Central)—Would you mind if I gave you the number all five times at once?—Life.

Dodge Brothers closed car will be a practical gift for the family.

## The Nut Cracker by Joe Williams

The Lonsdale belt has been won by Battling Brown of London and it will not be necessary for him to buy a new set of suspenders this year.

A Cleveland pedestrian was knocked down and run over three times by an automobile, establishing what is believed to be a new A. A. U. record for the event.

Among those who will not pick an All-American eleven this year is Nick Altrock, who prefers to confine his humor to the ball field.

Considering the number of people who are always telling the cock-eyed world something, Ben Turpin ought to be a well informed gent.

Objection to the announced fight between McFigue and Beckett in Dublin is that neither is likely to be shot by an Irish revolutionist.

A scientist has discovered that a ship going west weighs more than a ship going east. This probably explains why it is impossible to make harness out of sauerkraut.

We should be thankful to Germany for one thing: She hasn't demanded an entry in the three-year-old horse championship.

Firpo wishes to apologize to America, but before accepting we should first inquire how much it will cost.

Despite the fact that a former wrestling champion has taken up preaching, a large part of the population still have faith in religion.

We shall continue to esteem King Tut highly until such time as the excavators prove that he actually wore golf knickers.

Harvard has an open date on its 1924 schedule and some folks believe it will go either to Notre Dame or Cornell. These same folks believe the soldiers are going to get the bonus.

Twenty-one nations will compete for the Davis cup next summer, which means that it will take Bill Tilden a day or so longer than usual to win the singles championship.

## DEMPEY TO REFEREE BOUITS FOR CHARITY

By The Associated Press.  
LAS VEGAS, N. M., Dec. 1.—Declining today to accept further invitations for please trips including hunting big game in the mountains near Las Vegas, and a reception in honor at Santa Fe, Jack Dempsey declared that he would not discontinue the charity program arranged in Chicago for December 6 at which he had agreed to appear as referee in bouts staged for charity benefit.

Dempsey's hunting trip in the mountains near the city ended this morning when the champion led his companions into the deep snows of the canyons near Elk Mountain to recover two big bucks killed Monday.

## Vanderbilt Given Pickens Trophy By Sport Writers

(By The Associated Press.)  
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 1.—Vanderbilt University was today selected as the winner of the champion Pickens trophy, a prize given to the Southern Intercollegiate conference football eleven who showed the best team as judged, by leading sports of the South.

Twelve out of fourteen writers voted for Vanderbilt. One editor supported Washington and Lee while another named Virginia Military Institute. Six of the writers named Washington and Lee as second while two men named Florida as second place team.

Editors voting for Vanderbilt were: Zipp Newman, Birmingham News; Ed Danforth, Atlanta Georgian; Morgan Blake, Atlanta Journal; Blunkey Horn, Nashville Tennessean; Howard Pigg, Montgomery Advertiser; Bob Pigg, News Scimitar; Harry Cullen, Jr., Florida Times Union; Harry Royce, Lexington, Virginia, Herald; Fred Digby, New Orleans Item; Robert Harper, Richmond Times Dispatch; G. E. Simmons, Tampa Tribune; Ed Herbert, New Orleans Times-Picayune.

The Pickens cup is the first trophy awarded in the conference. The donor is an alumnus of Alabama, who has taken great interest in the development of sports not only in his own territory but throughout the South. The cup is 21 inches high of Sterling Silver and goes permanently to the first team winning three victories. It would be by the season's victor each year until it is permanently claimed.

The rules do not require that victorless count consecutively for the permanent winner.

John Francis, of the Louisville Courier Journal, voted for Washington and Lee. Tommy Hages, of the Norfolk Ledger Dispatch supported Virginia Military Institute.

The method of figuring "the best team" by the individual writer was not given in the announcement. Vanderbilt had won three conference games, lost none and tied one.

Washington and Lee had won four conference games, lost none and tied one, while Florida had won one conference battle and tied two. Virginia Military Institute had won five and lost one game.

## RED SOX GOING TO SPEND \$300,000

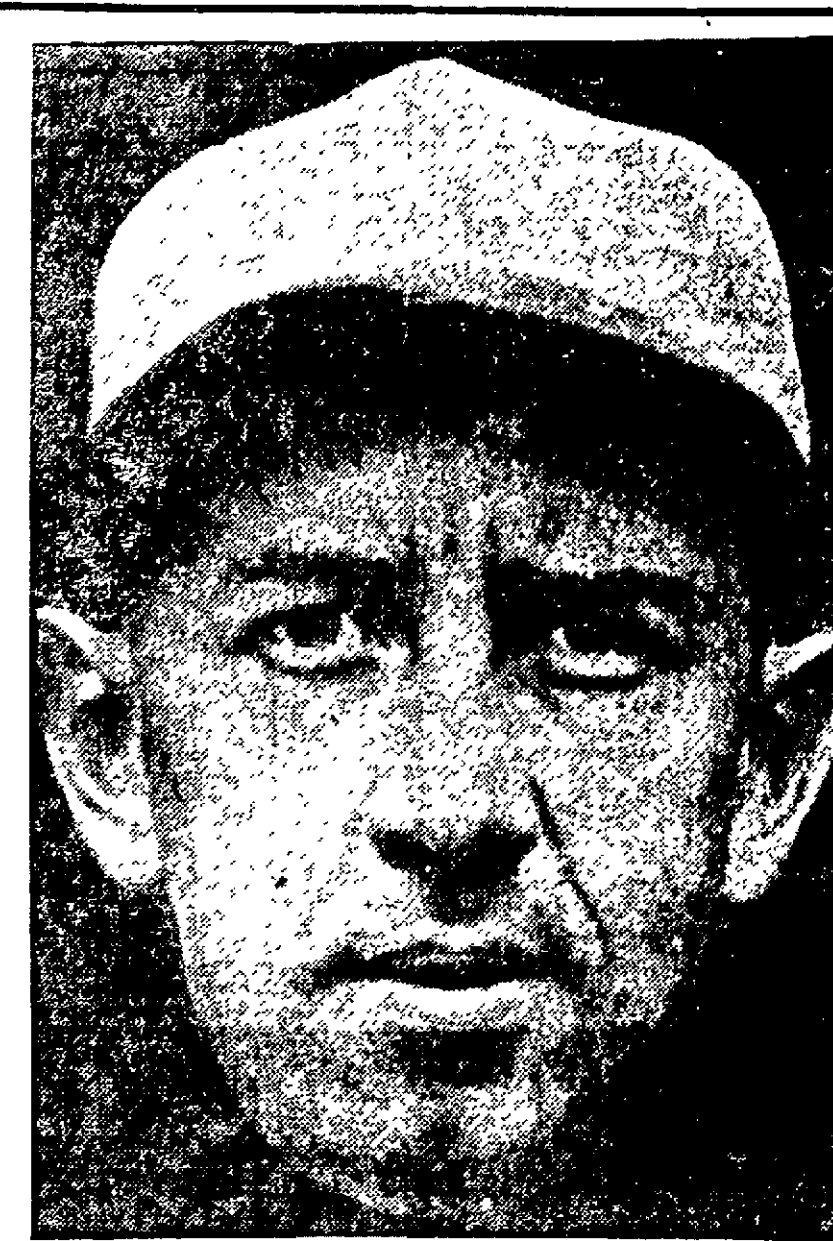
(By The Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—The new owners of the Boston Red Sox, of the American league are going to spend more than \$300,000 in increasing the seating capacity of their ball park and making other improvements, it became known here today, following a visit of Palmer Winslow, one of the new magnates of the club.

The Washington club, it was said also expects to make considerable improvement in its ball park before the season opens.

## HOCKEY TEAM TO SAIL FROM NEW YORK JAN. 19

(By The Associated Press.)  
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—The American Olympic Hockey Team, accompanied by United States speed, fancy and figure skaters, will sail from New York for Cherbourg, France, in January 19, next, nine days before the first Olympic game at Chamonix, W. S. Haddock, president of the United States amateur hockey association announced here today.

## Collins Wants to Become Manager.



EDDIE COLLINS

(Special to The Bee)  
CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—When Kid Gleason resigned as manager of the Chicago White Sox, the general impression was that Eddie Collins, captain and star second-sacker, would succeed him. Under the Gleason regime, Collins was the first Lieutenant to the Kid, and his views on all questions received the greatest consideration.

Collins, who suffered an injury to his knee last season that handicapped him play considerably late in the year, has several times expressed the desire to manage a major league club before passing out of the big show.

The fact that in recent years such stars as Speaker, Cobb and Sisler have taken a fling at the managerial game no doubt fired Collins with the ambition to try it. The appointment of Chance to lead the Sox is considered by many as a direct slap at Collins.

It is a well-known fact that Collins was much disappointed last spring when the trade with New York failed to go through. He was one of the White Sox wanted by New York in exchange for Ward and Mair.

Ward's great work at second this year has killed off the probability of Collins getting a chance with the Yankees. He has always wanted to play in the big city.

It is questionable if Collins would be content to play as a private under Chance. For that reason he may figure in a winner trade. At present a deal with Washington is being widely circulated, making Collins the manager of that club.

## FIRPO ALMOST ELUDED TAXES

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Luis Firpo, Argentine heavyweight, almost got out of the United States without paying income tax on his share of the purse hung up for his memorable meeting with Champion Jack Dempsey, according to Captain J. W. Pearce, commander of the Pacific Line steamship Essequibo, on which Firpo made the voyage from Havana to Caliao.

But Uncle Sam's collectors were right on the job when Firpo sought to depart from Key West, Fla., for Havana, en route to his homeland, and right hooked to Firpo's pocketbook. It was a \$29,000 wallop, according to Captain Pearce, that the Pampas Bull couldn't even begin to block.

He was forced to absorb the blow to his newly-laid bankroll before he could get aboard a steamer for Cuba, and, said the Essequibo's commander, who brought his ship here today, the big South American was so pestered by the tax assessment that he hadn't stopped complaining about it when he stepped down the gangplank at Caliao.

On the Essequibo's northward voyage, the Rev. Henry C. Wehenderfer, of Beaver City, Nebraska, a missionary, died of tetanus two days out from Molendo, Peru. It was believed he had been bitten by a poison-bearing insect. The missionary, whose wife and children he had taken with him to Bolivia and gone to their Nebraska home but a short time before, was buried at sea.

## SCHEDULES OF BIG TEN MADE

(By The Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—Heavy schedules of Michigan, Chicago and Ohio state and a crash between the point Big Ten football champions of 1923, Michigan and Illinois, were announced by Western Conference Athletic directors at the close of the schedule meeting here tonight.

Only one outstanding intersectional game was announced, a tentative agreement for Illinois to meet the Navy eleven at Ann Arbor, October 11, the Saturday before the battle between the leaders of 1923. Michigan agreed to play in the new Illinois stadium, both in 1924 and 1925. The two teams in 1924 will almost certainly meet in the 1925 point championship. Except this, Michigan will lose Captain Kipke and Illinois will lose McMillin by graduation.

Long and Short  
QUINCY, Ill.—Rev. Robert V. Meles is a "long" man from head to foot that is. He stands well over six feet tall. But he believes in short stories. Witness this advertisement in a recent Sunday issue of a local paper. "The longest preacher" and the shortest sermon at the Central Baptist Church, morning and

## Marines Defeat Service Rivals

(By The Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The Quantico Marines for the third consecutive time today defeated the Third Army Corps in their annual football contest here, the score being 7 to 0. The game was attended by high officials of the government, commanding officers of the Army and Navy, diplomats and others prominent in the life of the capital.

The score was made in the fourth period after McHenry had intercepted an Army pass in midfield. He dashed to the soldiers' 34-yard line before being downed and a series of line smashes quickly placed the pigskin on the Army's one foot line. Goetz, the Marine quarterback, went over for a touchdown on the next play, and then held the ball while Ryckman kicked an extra point.

Throughout the contest both eleven mingled forward passes with slashing line attacks. In the first half the Army apparently held a slight edge coming within striking distance twice. But after missing a place kick from the 45-yard line, and then losing the ball on downs on the Marines' one yard line, the soldiers' attack waned. Line up and summary:

Marines (7)	Position	Army (0)
Farrell	Left End	Tyler
Liversedge	Left Tackle	Knight
Cerek	Left Guard	Stokes
Bailey	Center	Greene
McHenry	Right Guard	Moore
Kyle	Right Tackle	Von Schilling
Skinner	Right End	White
Goettge	Quarter Back	Noyes
Danderson	Left Half	Timberlake
Ryckman	Right Half	Dodd
Neal	Back	Hahn

Score by periods: 0 0 0 7—7  
Army: 0 0 0 0—0  
Marine scoring: Touchdown Goetz, Point from try after touchdown Ryckman, Referee, Schaefer (Brown), Empty Fulz (Brown); Field Judge Tyler (Princeton); Headlinesman, Magoffin (Michigan); Time of periods, 15 minutes.

## Georgia Fights Centre to a Tie

(By The Associated Press.)  
ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 1.—Smarting under two successive defeats administered by Vanderbilt and Alabama, the University of Georgia fought desperately in its final game of the season and held Centre to a 3 to 3 tie here today.

Cleckley, Randall, Bennett and Fletcher, the latter playing at left end instead of Thomson, who was on the injured list, led the Georgia attack, which netted 15 first downs to the five made by the Colonels.

The brilliant Covington was able to penetrate the Georgia's defense for a good gain only once, and this was a 22-yard dash around left end in the final period.

When Centre found that the Georgia line was holding almost like a stone wall it resorted to a kicking and forward-passing game. Only one forward pass netted a large gain, however.

Early in the first period, Captain Bennett, of Georgia, booted a perfect field-goal from Centre's 30-yard line. Centre's score in the second period was the result of a placement kick by Lemon from Georgia's 31-yard line.

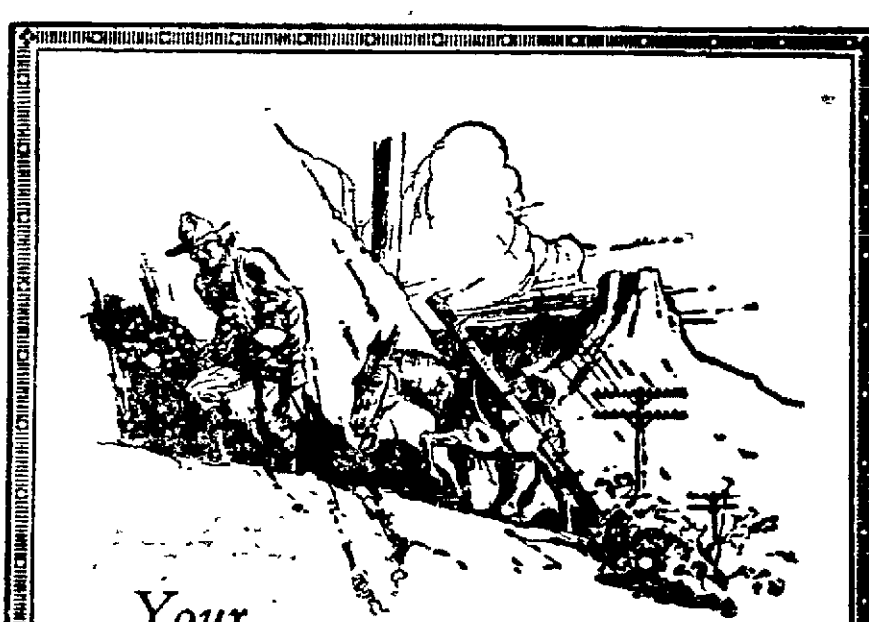
Cleckley, who played at right half-back for the Bulldogs, gained approximately 100 yards in the plays in which he carried the ball. Randall played his best game of the season, gaining considerable yardage for the Georgians. Both Lemon and Covington were strong in their defensive playing for the Colonels.

Law Attracts Yale Grads  
NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Law leads all other professions and lines of endeavor with Yale alumni. Eighteen per cent. of Old Eli's grads are engaged in its practice. And next to it comes banking, accounting and insurance. The university is represented today by 21,778 living graduates and 517 non-graduates. These 1923 alumni directory reveals. These are scattered throughout the world.

## RADIO BROADCASTING NEWS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3RD.  
3:30 KETERS WGY, 700 Kilocycles, (Schenectady, N. Y.) General Electric Company.  
Eastern Standard Time.  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 3RD.  
6:00 p. m.—Produce and stock market quotations, news bulletins.  
7:45 p. m.—Musical program, by Eddie's Melody Boys.  
Fot trot, "Dirty Hands, Dirty Face."  
Eddie's Melody Boys.  
Raymond Halse, piano; James Nolan, banjo; Elmer Hoffman, saxophone; Stephen Burton, saxophone; Mervin Chamberlain, cornet; Charles Cole, trombone; Edward Cohen, drums, and director.  
Fot trot, "You're Like a Baby" Deillon.

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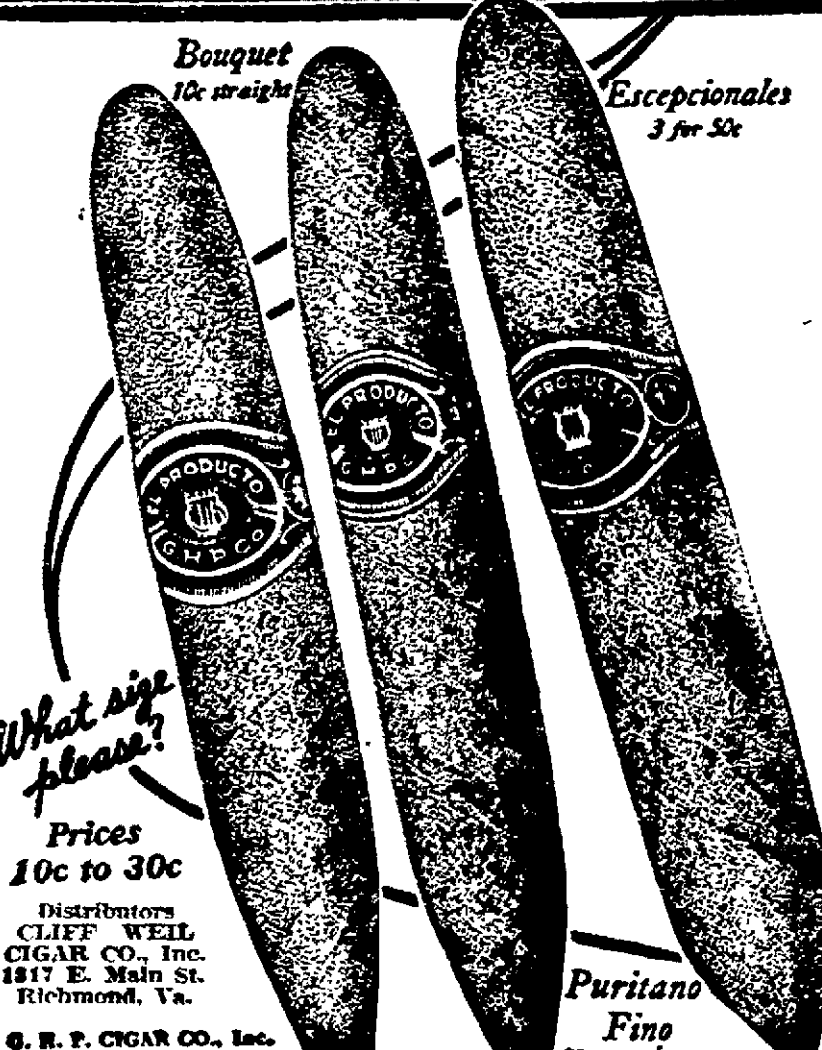
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# Andy Gump and Gasoline Alley in Full Pages Every Saturday in The Bee

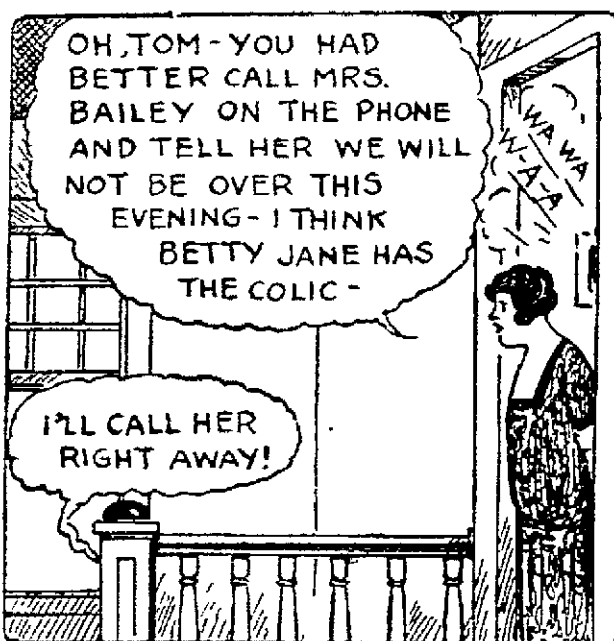
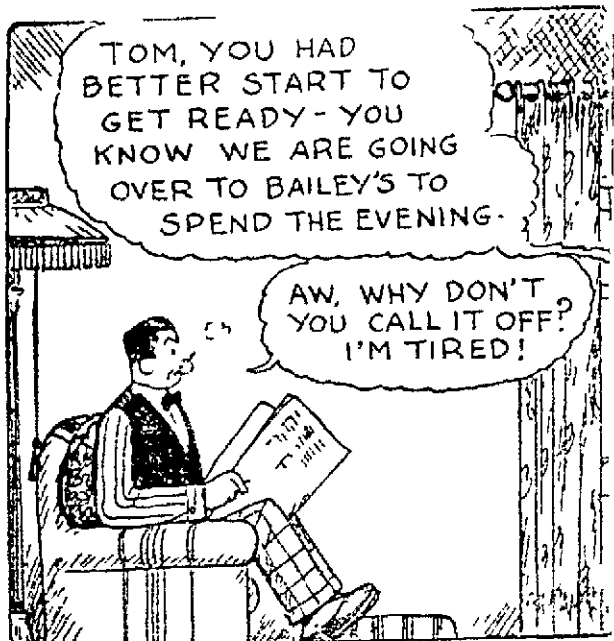
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Thanks to Betty Jane

By Allman

**GASOLINE ALLEY**

**WALT REFRESHES THE GENTLEMAN'S MEMORY**

By King

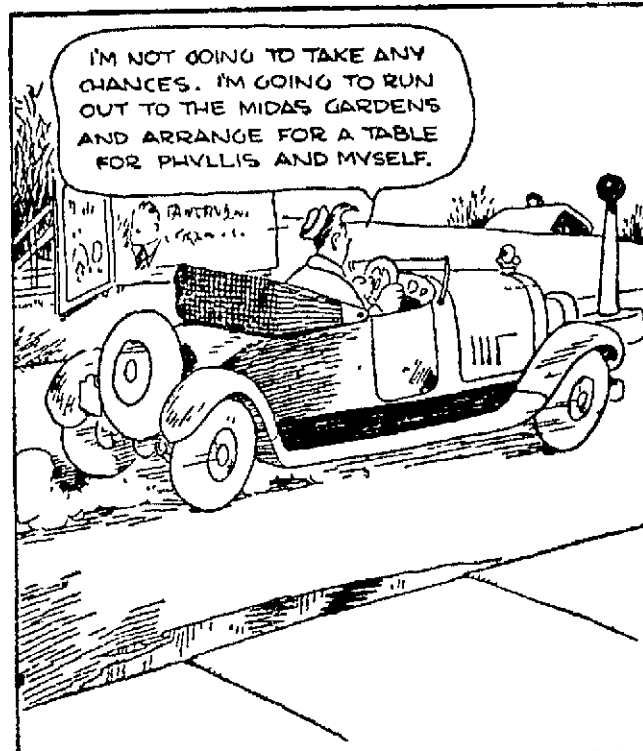


**BARNEY GOOGLE AND HIS FAMOUS RACE HORSE "SPARK PLUG"**  
—AND—  
**CAN YOU BEAT IT**  
Appear Daily on the Sport Page of THE DAILY BEE

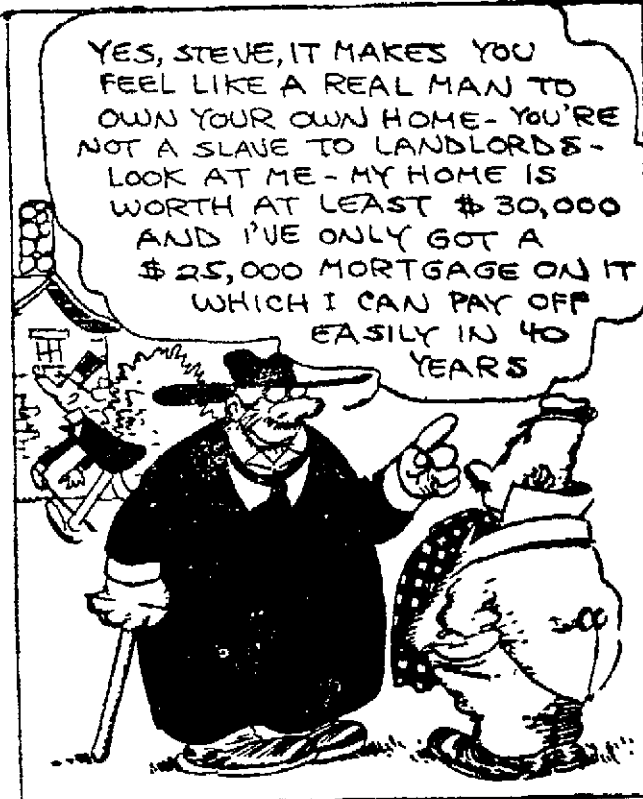
**OUT OUR WAY**—By Williams



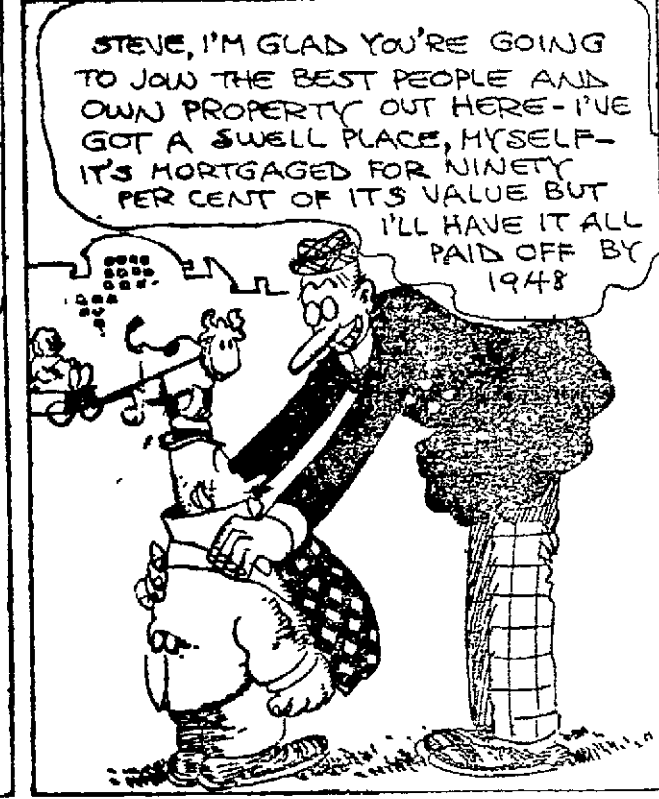
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By Rube Goldberg



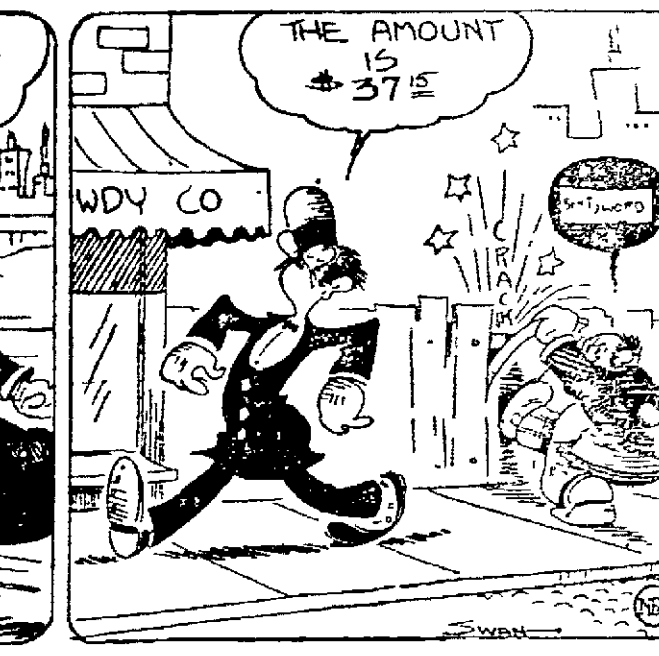
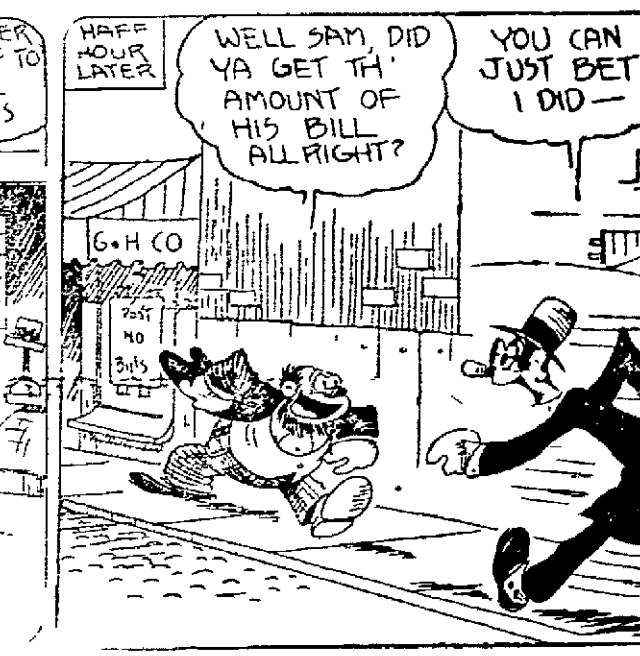
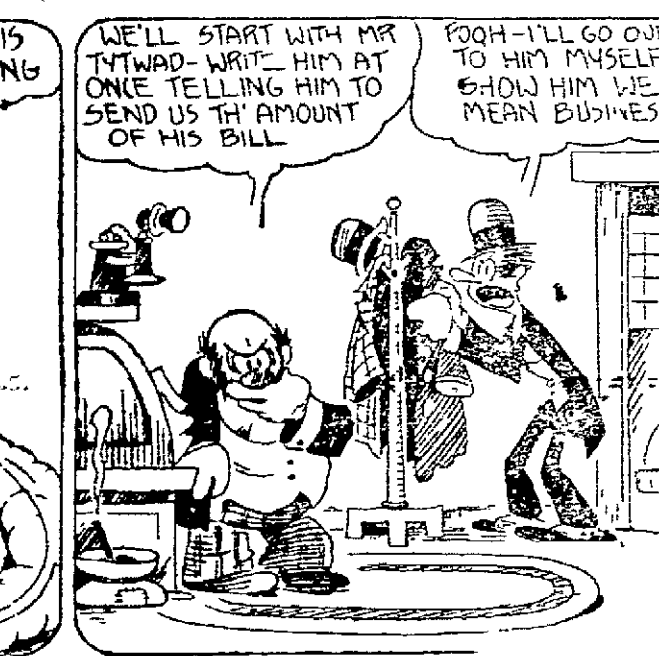
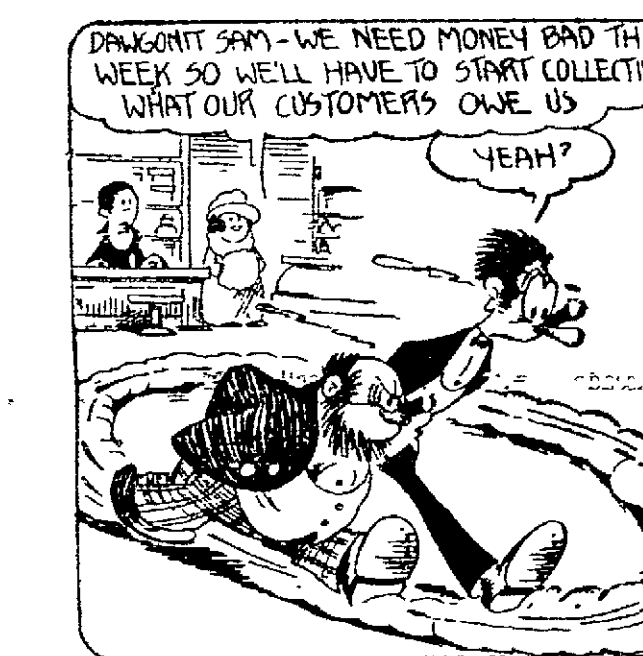
**SALESMAN SAM**



But He Didn't Collect It



By Swan

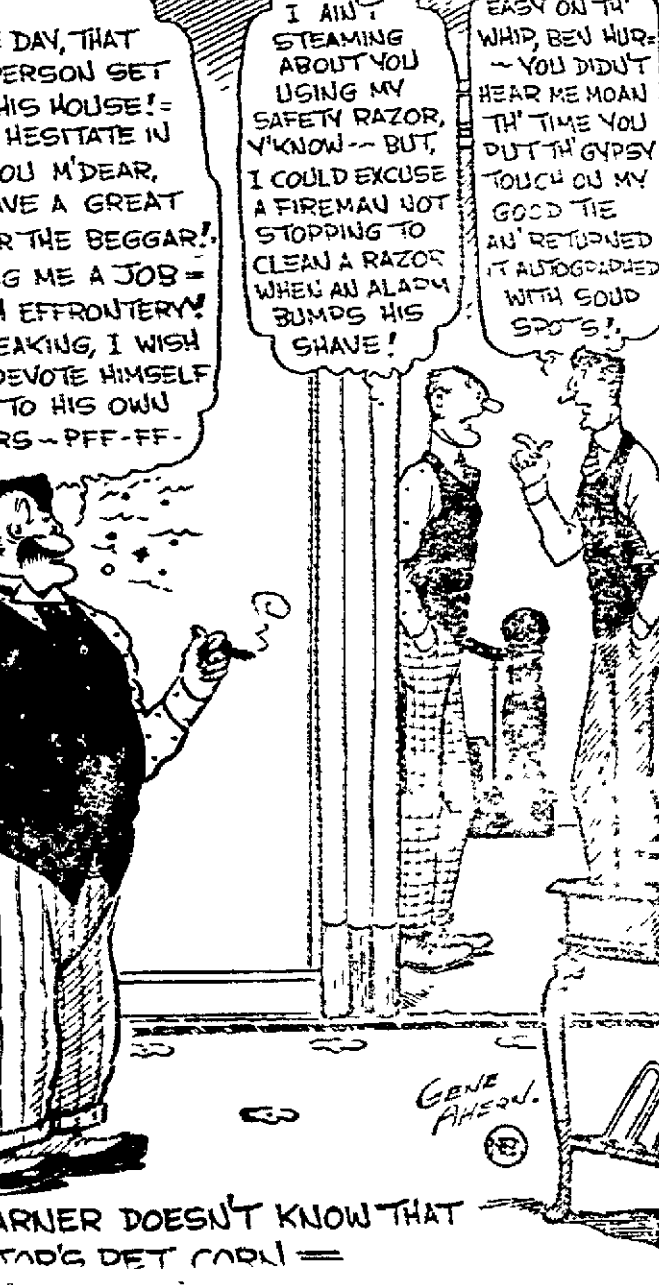


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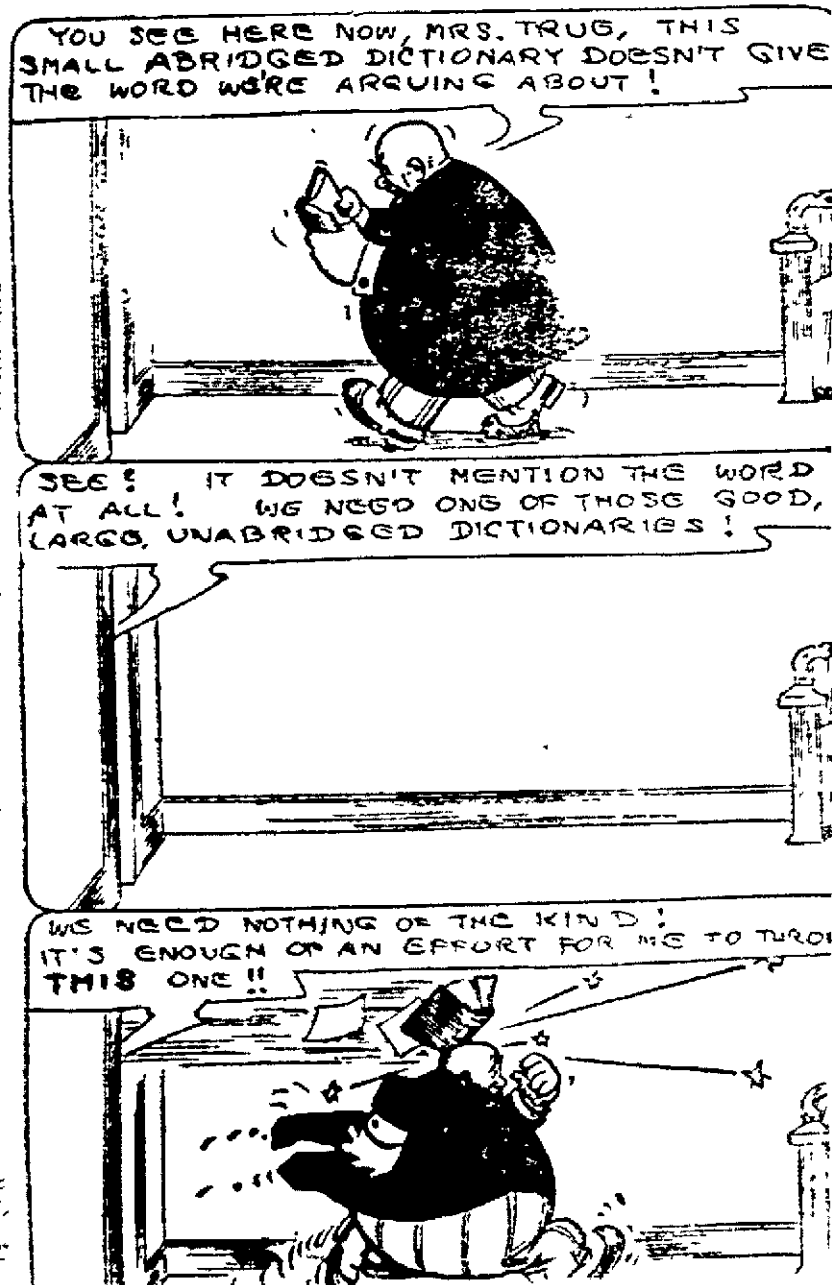
The Higher the Lower



**OUR BOARDING HOUSE**—By Ahern



**EVERETT TRUE**—By Condo



SEE! IT DOESN'T MENTION THE WORD AT ALL! WE NEED ONE OF THOSE GOOD, LARGE, UNABRIDGED DICTIONARIES!

WE NEED NOTHING OF THE KIND! IT'S ENOUGH OF AN EFFORT FOR ME TO TROU THIS ONE!!

WILDCAT WARNER DOESN'T KNOW THAT HE IS STANDING ON THE MATADOR DET. CORN!



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**THE BEST IS ALWAYS**  
the cheapest. Call 150 Far-  
ley Pkg. & Heating Co.  
Contractors and Engineers.  
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PHONE 1748.  
8-384B&R11

**BUY YOUR TICKET NOW FOR**  
dinner or supper to be served by the  
ladies of the Christian Church Y. M.  
C. A. Thursday, Dec. 6th. Musical  
program from 6 to 7 p. m. A bazaar  
will also be held at this time. Come  
in and select your Christmas gifts  
and cake will be served in the  
afternoon. Dinner 12 to 2, supper 6  
to 7:30. Price: Adults, 75c; Child-  
ren, 50c. 12-1R&B11

**WE CAN SELL ANY REASONABLY**  
priced real estate in Danville. We  
handle on commission only. Call us  
for Fire Insurance today. Phone 325  
Office: Main St. Temple. E. B. Meade  
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Coat—Bring your old coat or vest that  
you want matched. Harris Clothing  
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pensation insurance. John W. News-  
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Fred D. Anderson  
300 Bridge street. Phone 703.  
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**NOTICE!—CALL HUBBARD F**  
Walker to do your plumbing and  
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**AUTO FREE AT THE**  
Hub. Sensational sale of  
men's and boy's suits, over-  
coats, hats, shoes and furn-  
ishings. The Hub, 307 Main  
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**W. R. EDMUNDS & COMPANY**  
Heating and Plumbing, 421 Craghead  
Street. Phone 517 and 1367.  
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**LET US SUPPLY YOU WITH**  
your Christmas Candies, Nuts and  
Fruits. Chocolate creams, all flavors,  
made daily. Fancy box candy. We  
have the lowest prices on Nuts and  
Fruits. Come to see us. Virginia  
Candy Kitchen, 122 Craghead Street.  
12-1B201

**CALL, HALL 2495 FOR TRANS-**  
fer call. 12-1B61\*

**CLOTHES WASHED**  
1b Sent for and delivered. Phone  
1332. Danville Damp Laundry. 11-2  
Union St. We give a & H. 12-1B201

**SAVE OUR TICKETS AND GET**  
free work. We do all family wash  
phone 921 for wagon. Wet Wash  
Laundry. 5-7 3 B 11

**CHRIS. WALTHALL**  
**DIES IN AUSTRALIA**

**RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 1.**—News of  
the death of Christopher Walthall  
last October in Brisbane, Australia,  
reached Richmond last night. He  
was the son of the late C. Walthall,  
Sr. of this city. In 1883 Mr. Walthall  
left Richmond as representative of  
the Cameron brothers to open a  
tobacco market and business in Aus-  
tralia and was a pioneer of tobacco  
on that continent. He was successful  
in business and held a place of con-  
siderable prominence in the life of  
Brisbane at the time of his death.  
He was active in Free Masonry and  
was a past master of Jubilee Lodge  
Mr. Walthall was survived by a wife  
and three sons in Australia and a  
brother, H. M. Walthall, and two sis-  
ters, Mrs. Kate M. Wicker and Mrs.  
Belle J. Walthall, of this country.  
Another son, William Walthall, was  
killed in his first battle in France  
during the World war.

The basque frock of this season is  
almost sure to have a drop shoulder  
neckline and lace ruffles about the  
waistline or sleeve caps.

**FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS**

**FOR SALE—LOT OF NICE**  
Shoats, Pure-Bred Durocs, and  
Polish Chicks, all sizes, all prices. Five  
fresh cows. Can be seen at Union  
Warehouse. 12-1B11

**BUY YOUR GROCER-**  
ies, fresh meats and oysters  
from W. E. Hurd, 601 Jeffers-  
on Ave., Phone 731 & 732.  
11-23B&R11

**SEVERAL RE-BUILT REMING-**  
ton and Underwood typewriters for  
sale. Woodstock Typewriter Sales  
Co., 119 Market St. Phone 1841-J.  
11-10B121

**FOR SALE: A BABY CARRIAGE,**  
cheap. Phone 859-W. R&B

**DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND SALE**  
at Turk's Jewelry Shop and get your  
Christmas presents. Fine line of  
watches, diamonds and jewelry.  
11-2B&R11

**Clutter Furniture Company**  
209 N. Union St.  
Good Furniture. Fair Prices.  
12-3B&R11

**FOR SALE—**  
10 Shares Masonic Bldg. Stock  
5 Shares Crowell Auto Co. pfd.  
1 Share Producers Warehouse.  
4 Shares Danville News.  
Address, "Stock," care Register,  
making best offer. 11-2B&R11

**Dressed Hogs Dressed Hogs**  
Fresh Killing Every Day.  
Buy a whole one and  
save money.  
J. W. Haraway's Market,  
308 Craghead St.  
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**FOR SANTA CLAUS**  
Doll Carts, Doll Beds, Speedlers, Ve-  
lopedes, Wagons, Buggies Bikes, and  
all kinds furniture.  
JNO. W. GRAVES  
224-26 Union St. Phone 535.  
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**PHONE 777**  
For Fresh Groceries, Sea Food and  
Fat Poultry. E. J. Wyatt, Jr.  
11-15B&R11

**FOR SALE—TO QUICK BUYER**  
small lunch room and weiner stand.  
1104 Craghead St. 12-3B&R11

**STERN'S ROBBED**  
**OF JEWELRY AND**  
**PRECIOUS STONES**

**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**TOLLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 1.**—William  
Sterns, an independent jewelry sales-  
man of Philadelphia, was robbed of  
diamonds and other precious stones  
worth \$75,000 tonight at the Union  
Depot, he reported to police. Sterns  
was in the hands of a thief while he  
purchased a ticket to Columbus and  
when he looked for the grip it was  
gone. The jewels were in it.

Sterns came to Toledo today from  
Detroit and called on several cus-  
tomers. About eight o'clock he went  
to the depot. Sterns told detectives  
that the jewelry consisted of \$35,000  
worth of loose diamonds and dia-  
mond set pins, rings, lavalliers and  
the like, worth \$45,000.

Sterns does not represent any  
jewelry concern he said, but buys  
and sells diamonds and other jewelry  
on his own account.

Police are of the opinion that the  
thief was not aware that when he  
picked up the bag that its contents  
were so valuable.

**GIANT TOPAZ FOUND**  
**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**CHICAGO, Dec. 1.**—A giant topaz  
sent to the Field Museum from Bra-  
zil on Dr. Oliver C. Farrington,  
who is on a gem-hunting expedition  
for the Museum, was measured  
by Dr. H. W. Nichols, senior in-  
spector, he found the dimensions in  
inches to be nine by ten by seven.  
It is believed to be the largest  
topaz in the world. "I judge that  
it weighs at least 100 pounds," said  
Dr. Nichols.

**FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES**

**FOR SALE—1923 BUICK SIX-**  
Good as new. Phone 334-J.  
12-1B21\*

**USED CAR BARGAINS.**  
1 1923 Ford Touring \$275  
1 1923 Ford Touring \$260  
1 1923 Ford Roadster \$135  
1 1923 Ford Roadster \$75  
1 1923 Ford Special  
Body \$275  
1 1923 Ford Special  
Body \$200  
1 1922 Dodge Touring \$450  
1 1919 Dodge Roadster \$275

**See these Cars at**  
**ANDERSON MOTOR CO.**  
Used Car Dept.

**11-2B&R11**  
**FOR SALE. 1922 SPORT MODEL**  
Nash. Good condition. Tires in good  
shape. Best for immediate buy-  
er. See S. E. Wells at Wells Electric  
Co., 123 Market street. 11-27R&B11

**For Sale—Automobiles**  
1 1923 Four Door Ford  
Sedan, brand new.  
2 1923 Dodge Tourings.  
1 1923 Dodge Business  
Sedan.  
1 1922 Dodge Touring.  
1 1921 Dodge Roadster.  
1 1923 Essex Cab.  
1 1922 Ford Sedan.  
1 1921 Ford Touring.  
1 1921 Dodge Panel  
Truck.  
GARDNER MOTOR CO.  
12-1B&R11

**FOR SALE—1923 MODEL BUICK**  
Six. Phone 334-J. 12-3B21\*

**CROKER MOTION**  
**DENIED BY JUDGE**

**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Dec. 1.**  
After having denied the request of  
the plaintiffs in the action for a cur-  
ator for the Richard Croker, Sr., es-  
tate in Palm Beach county, to file an  
amended petition, Probate Judge R.  
P. Roberts today heard arguments  
on the ritual petitions. He reserved  
his decision until Monday. Mrs. Bula  
Croker, widow of the former Tam-  
many leader, appeared at the hear-  
ing with her attorney, having arrived  
here yesterday. She is living at the  
"Croker home," the "Wigwam" in Palm  
Beach.

**SUIT CLUBS ARE**  
**RUN TO GROUND**

**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**CHICAGO, Dec. 1.**—Twenty mil-  
lion dollars a year is a conservative  
sum of the money spent in "so-  
called suit clubs" throughout the  
country to "win" two million dollars  
worth of clothing according to rep-  
resentatives of the National Associa-  
tion of Retail Dry Goods. The as-  
sociation today said it was develop-  
ing since raids two weeks ago by the  
State's attorney on suit clubs in Chi-  
cago.

The "so-called suit clubs" are flour-  
ishing everywhere, according to  
Charles E. Wry, executive director of  
the Retail Association.

**PIG OUTPUT IS**  
**RECORD MARK**

**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Dec. 1.**—A  
new world's record for production of  
pig iron in a month's time has been  
set by the blast furnace of the Trum-  
bull Cliffs Furnace Company, near  
Warren. It is asserted in an an-  
nouncement from company officials  
today. In November, according to  
the announcement, the furnace using  
only made 25,303 tons, a daily  
average of 840 tons. The previous  
record, which also is said to be held  
by this furnace, was 754 tons. The  
rated capacity of the plant is 600 tons  
daily.

**"THE LAST WARNING"**  
Another Mystery Play Coming to The  
Majestic. Highly Indorsed.

Another mystery play coming to  
the Majestic. Highly indorsed.  
There was no trouble in keeping  
awake at "The Last Warning," the  
big New York success which incident-  
ally is coming to the Majestic Wed-  
nesday, December 5th.

The trouble came in going to sleep  
when we got home. This is one of  
those mystery plays in which prac-  
tically nothing is every satisfactorily  
explained, and which, at lucid inter-  
vals during the action, you convince  
yourself is merely a lot of impossible  
trick, but nevertheless leaves you  
weak and tottering, with a nice new  
crop of gray hair over the temples.

The ingenuity of the thing is its  
chief asset. The action takes place  
all over the theatre, on the stage, in  
the boxes, up and down the aisles,  
and finally, when a detachment of  
police take their place at the various  
exits to keep the culprit from escap-  
ing, you realize that you are a part  
of the show yourself. In fact, you  
feel yourself looking rather guilty  
and red, and hope that they don't  
pick on you as you are sure you  
would have no alibi.

There is no use in trying to tell  
the story of this haunted theatre and  
what goes on in it. The minute the  
thing is dragged out into the light,  
you laugh heartily, and say that of  
course you knew all along that it was  
only in fun. In fact, you laugh all  
through the play, but then it is the  
hollow laugh of the craven who seeks  
to reassure himself that there is  
really nothing behind the door, at  
length his laugh which lat and  
moment turn into a howl of abject  
fear. You can't miss "The Last  
Warning," and still lay claim to hav-  
ing lived.

Prices 50c to \$2.00. Reserve seat  
sale now.

**QUEENS VS. VICTORIANS**  
**TORONTO, Dec. 1.**—Queen's Uni-  
versity of Kingston, today won a  
second Canadian rugby champion-  
ship here by defeating Regina, 34  
to 0.

**AUCTION SALES**

**AUCTION SALE**  
postponed from Nov. 30th. I will sell  
at public auction on my farm near  
Mt. Vernon church, Dec. 5th, at 11 a.  
m., to the highest bidder, pair of  
young mules, one work mule, wagon,  
double harness, double and single  
plows, buggy and harness, feed cut-  
ters, etc. Luther B. Clark. 12-2B&R11

**AUCTION SALE AT TURK'S JEW-**  
elry Shop now going on. 12-2B&R11,  
2:30 and 7:30 p. m. 11-2B&R11

**WANTED—FEMALE**  
WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED  
house maid. Apply Mrs. J. M. Ed-  
munds, 636 Holbrook Ave.  
12-3B21R11

**WANTED: GOOD COOK, APPLY**  
604 Wilson street. 12-2B11R11

**HELP WANTED.**  
WANTED: SALESMEN FOR HIGH-  
grade staple line, sell to merchants.  
Man or lady. Travel locally with dis-  
trict manager. See Mr. Freeman,  
Burton Hotel. Hours 6 to 8:00 p. m.

**WANTED—NEWS AGENT.** Ap-  
ply Union News Co.'s News Stand in  
subway.

**FIREMEN BRAKEMEN, BEGIN-**  
ners \$150-\$250 monthly (which includ-  
es "bon") Write "Railway," care the  
Bee. 11-4 RSumtBMonit.

**FOR RENT—HOUSES**  
**FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE**  
and bath, Colquhoun St., near Hol-  
brook. Phone 1505-W. B&R

**FOR RENT—5-ROOM APART-**  
ment. Apply at Apt. No. 9, Green  
Park Apartment.  
12-3B&R11

**FOR RENT—8-ROOM HOUSE**  
one block from Main. One 4, 1 six-  
room steam heated apartments. T. T.  
Adams. Phone 1959-W, or 519-W.  
12-1B11

**FOR RENT—5-ROOM BUNGA-**  
low, Paxton avenue, 7-room dwelling,  
Colquhoun St. Patton, Temple &  
Williamson. 12-1B&R11

**AUTO SERVICE**  
**AUTO TIRE REPAIRING**  
Full line of tires and McClaren  
tires and tubes. Danville Vulcanizing  
Co., Loyal street, phone 1908  
11-15R&R11

**ANNUAL REUNION**  
**OF SONS IS HELD**

**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 1.**—The Vir-  
ginia Sons of Confederate Veterans,  
including the second brigade of  
eleven camps, held their annual re-  
union here today with the Confederates  
ball tonight at the Grand Army  
as the principal and concluding event.  
The afternoon session was given over  
to good fellowship.

At the ball tonight guests for the  
most part were dressed in Confed-  
erate uniform and costume of the Six-  
ties. Veterans of the Civil war with  
their partners occupied the floor for  
the first part of the evening when  
melodies and dances of the past were  
the rule.

**STATE CHAMBER**  
**HOLDS MEETING**

**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 1.**—B. S.  
Hollenga, business manager of the  
Petersburg Chamber of Commerce  
was elected chairman and L. A.  
Cowan, elected secretary at an infor-  
mal conference held here today by  
secretaries of various Chamber of  
Commerce over Virginia. No perma-  
nent organization was effected, but  
it was deemed advisable to hold sim-  
ilar meetings during the winter.

The conference went on record as  
opposing any high pressure mem-  
bership campaigns, favoring contin-  
uous discussions concerning means of  
securing industries for Virginia.

During the afternoon the visitors  
were guests of Secretary B. F.  
Moorman, of the Roanoke Chamber  
of Commerce, and were taken on an  
automobile tour of the city.

**PRE-SEASON CONTESTS**  
**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**CHICAGO, Dec. 1.**—The Chicago  
Cubs are scheduled with the Pitts-  
burgh Pirates, their league rivals,  
four games before the National  
League season opens next April. It  
was revealed tonight when the list of ex-  
hibition games for the Chicago Club  
was announced by President William  
Veeck.

The Pittsburgh-Chicago pre-sea-  
son series will be played March 31-  
April 3, the first meeting being  
scheduled for either Los Angeles or  
Long Beach.

**STILL IN BUSINESS**  
My friends and the public gener-  
ally are invited to take notice  
that I am still in business, at the  
same place and am prepared  
to give the best of service.  
Funerals attended, all supplies  
furnished, or embalming on  
short notice, either in or out of  
the city.  
Your patronage solicited and  
satisfactory service guaranteed.  
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Storage Batteries and  
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"USE EXIDE AND RIDE."  
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We are now located in our new office, Room 6, Arcade  
Building. Call 384-W. for anything in typewriter or ad-  
ding machine lines. All makes of typewriters cleaned, re-  
paired and rebuilt. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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cases to investigate, prompt  
expert service, confidential  
reports, reasonable rates.  
Licensed detective. Box 651,  
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**FOR RENT—GARAGES**  
**FOR RENT: GARAGE, \$5.00 PER**  
month. Phone 2176-J. 12-1R&B11

**LOST AND FOUND**  
**ONE MALE BLACK AND WHITE-**  
spotted hound dog taken up at my  
place. Owner can get same by paying  
for adv. J. B. Lee, 213 Vance St.  
12-3B&R

**LOST—CERTIFICATE OF DE-**  
posit, issued by American National  
Bank to Mary Millam for \$50.00, No.  
29553, dated Nov. 17, 1923. Dupli-  
cate applied for. Public warned not  
to trade for same. Finder return to  
or notify the bank.

**LOST—CERTIFICATE OF DE-**  
posit No. A 2821, dated Jan. 11,  
1923. Issued by First National Bank  
of Danville, Va. for \$45.00, payable  
to Miss Elfreda Davis Duplicate ap-  
plied for. Finder return to Miss  
Elfreda Davis, R. F. D. No. 5, City.  
19-29Bmon4wks

**LOST—STRING OF PEARLS AT**  
or near First Baptist Church. Phone  
59-J. Miss PERCY. 12-1B&R11

**LOST—OR STRAWED FROM MY**  
hose Sunday, larger black hound dog.  
Answers to name "Dock." Reward if  
returned to S. G. Motley, or call  
245-J. 12-3B21R11

**LOST—MEDIUM-SIZE FEMALE**  
pointer, 2 years old. Brown head.  
Small brown spots on back and sides.  
brown on tail. Answers to name  
"Specks." If found call 1722 or 557.  
Reward. A. B. Carrington, Jr.  
B&P

**FOR RENT—ROOMS**  
**FOR RENT—THREE ROOMS AND**  
hall, unfurnished. Convenient for  
light housekeeping. Apply 606 Wilson  
St. Phone 1061-W. 12-3B21

**FOR RENT—TWO FURNISHED**  
rooms for light housekeeping, at  
516 N. Main St. Water, gas and lights.  
No children. 12-3B11\*

**COZY ROOMS: STEAM HEAT,**  
hot and cold running water in every  
room. Tub and shower baths free to  
guests. Under new management. New  
Columbia Hotel, 227 Main street.  
11-23R&P61

**FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE**  
\$5.00 Down, \$2.00 Weekly  
For Fairview Lots. See isenhour  
Gravelly Bros. 11-3B&R11

**ASKS DAMAGES FOR JEWS**  
**BERLIN, Dec. 1.**—An official pro-  
test against the mistreatment and  
plundering which Jewish citizens of  
Poland, together with other Jews, suf-  
fered during the recent disorders in  
Berlin has been lodged by the Polish  
Ambassador with the chancellor.  
More than 100 individual claims are  
cited by the Polish authorities to show  
that the police authorities, far from  
defending the Jews attacked, went so  
far as to encourage the plunderers.

The intervention of the Consul Gen-  
eral having been in vain, the Polish  
government desires to know if the of-  
ficials guilty of neglect have been  
punished. In conclusion it demands  
reparation for the damages sustained.

**GEORGETOWN WINS GAME**  
**(By The Associated Press.)**  
**NEW YORK, Dec. 1.**—A swirling  
smash at the left side of Fordham's  
line by Fullback Degasis of George-  
town, proved the only score-produc-  
ing play in the stubborn battle with  
which these athletic college rivals  
closed the 1923 football season at the  
Yankee Stadium today. The score  
was Georgetown, 6; Fordham 0.

**RENT A CAR**  
Drive It Yourself,  
**U-Drive-It Station**  
Phone 11

**Three-Year Old**  
**Child Gets Relief**  
**From Nanzetta's**  
**Worm Remedy.**

Otis Lewis, of 617 Keen St.  
City. The following is a state-  
ment made by Mr. Lewis:  
"My little boy, 3 years, old  
suffered with kidney trouble for  
about a year. He would have to  
urinate every 5 minutes. He  
could never play like other chil-  
dren on that account, and I  
saw the symptoms of worms that  
Dr. Nanzetta gave me in the pa-  
pers and I decided to try a treat-  
ment of his Worm Remedy. After  
taking this prescription it  
cleared the condition up com-  
pletely. This has been 3 weeks  
ago and it has never troubled  
him since."  
(Signed.)

**"OTIS LEWIS"**  
Only 8 Days More at  
Reduced Prices.  
Office Hours: 9 to 11 a. m.  
and 1 to 3 p. m. Sunday.

**Nanzetta**  
The Indian Medicine Man.  
219 Main Street.

**For Sale Very Desirable Lot**  
**West Main Street**  
50 by 245 feet  
See us quick if you want this one.  
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Call Phone 80  
Accordian, Knife and Box Pleating.  
"Always the Best."

**COUNSEL OF VETS**  
**TO AID IN PROBE**  
**(By The Associated Press.)**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—General  
Counsel for the Senate Veterans com-  
mittee—John F. O'Ryan, of New  
York City, and Davis G. Arnold—will  
be asked to assist the Department of  
Justice in a complete investigation of  
the Senate committee.  
In making this announcement today  
Attorney General Daugherty said,  
John H. Cram, assistant attorney gen-  
eral has accepted a deal to direct the  
investigation.  
The attorney general declared in

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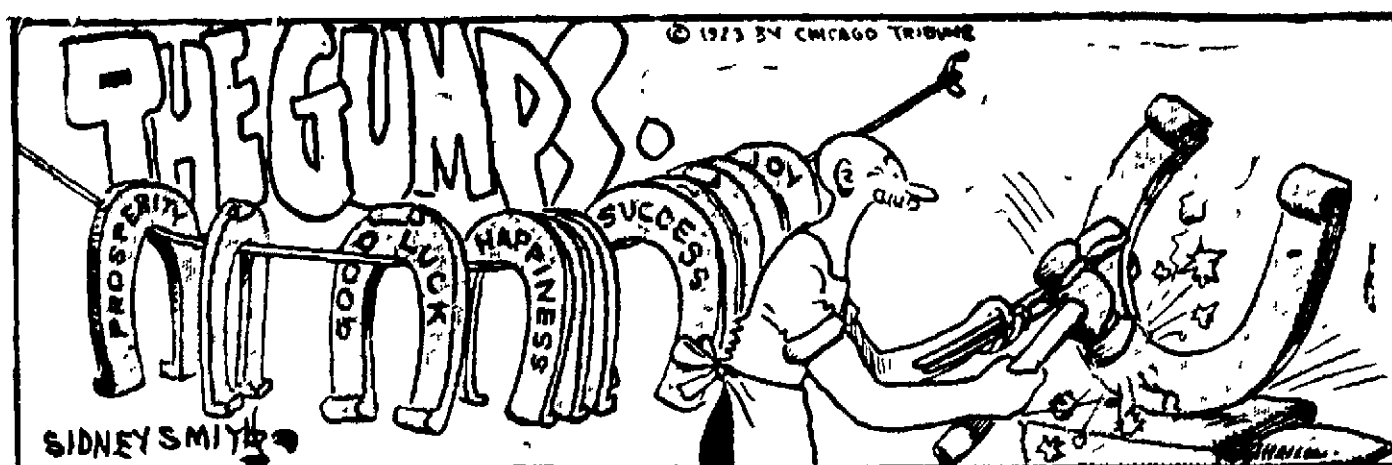
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It stirred a new sense of responsi-  
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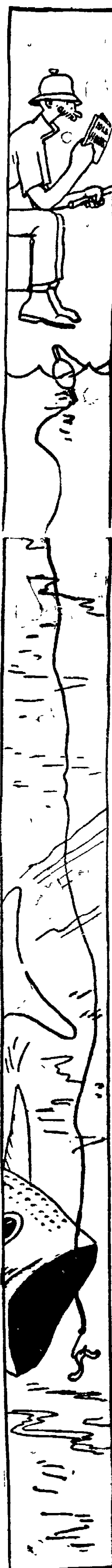
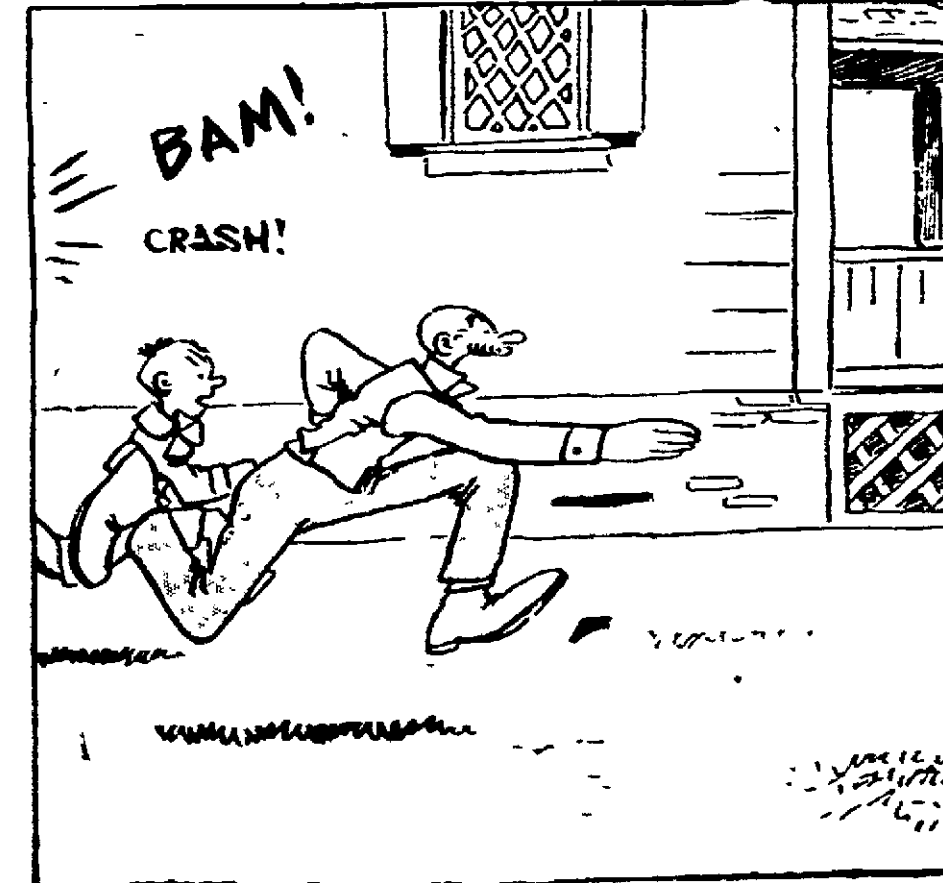
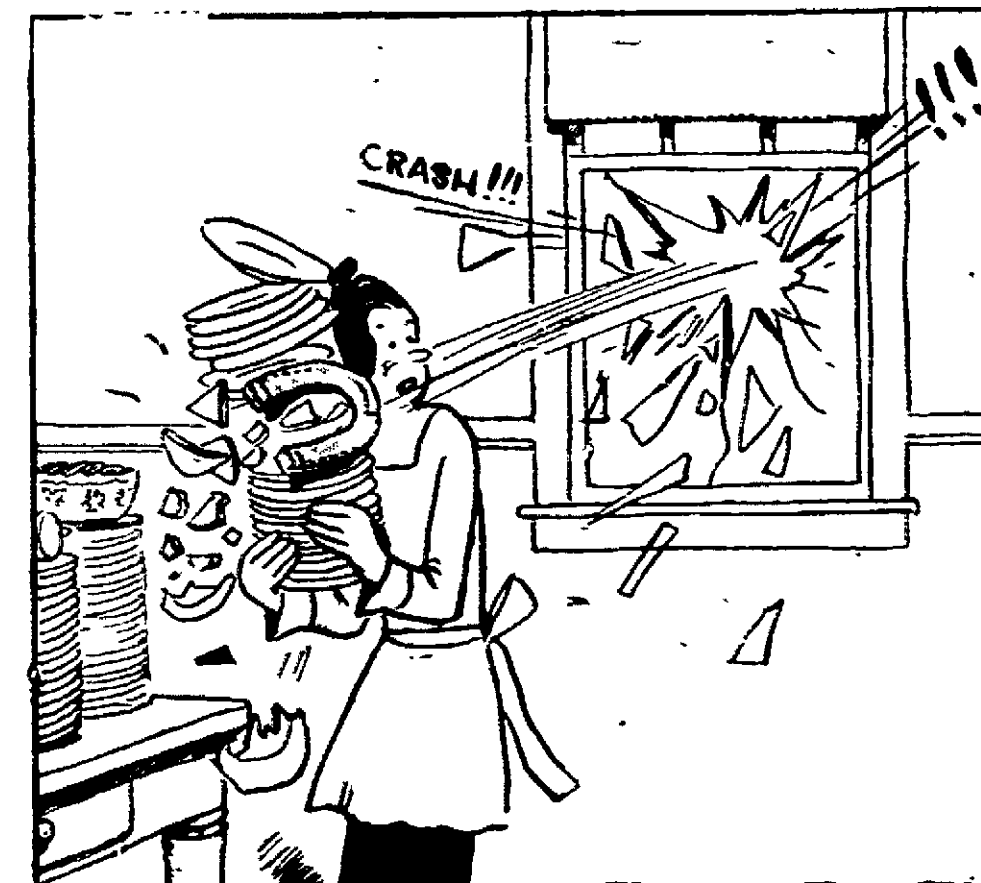
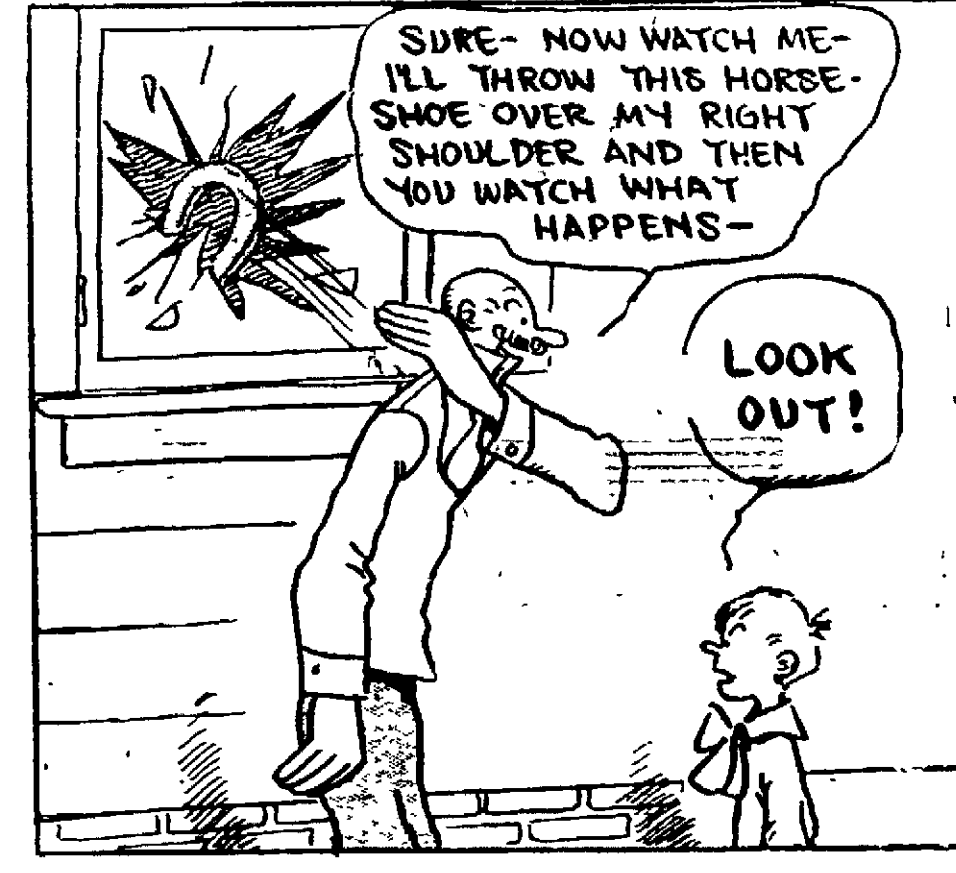
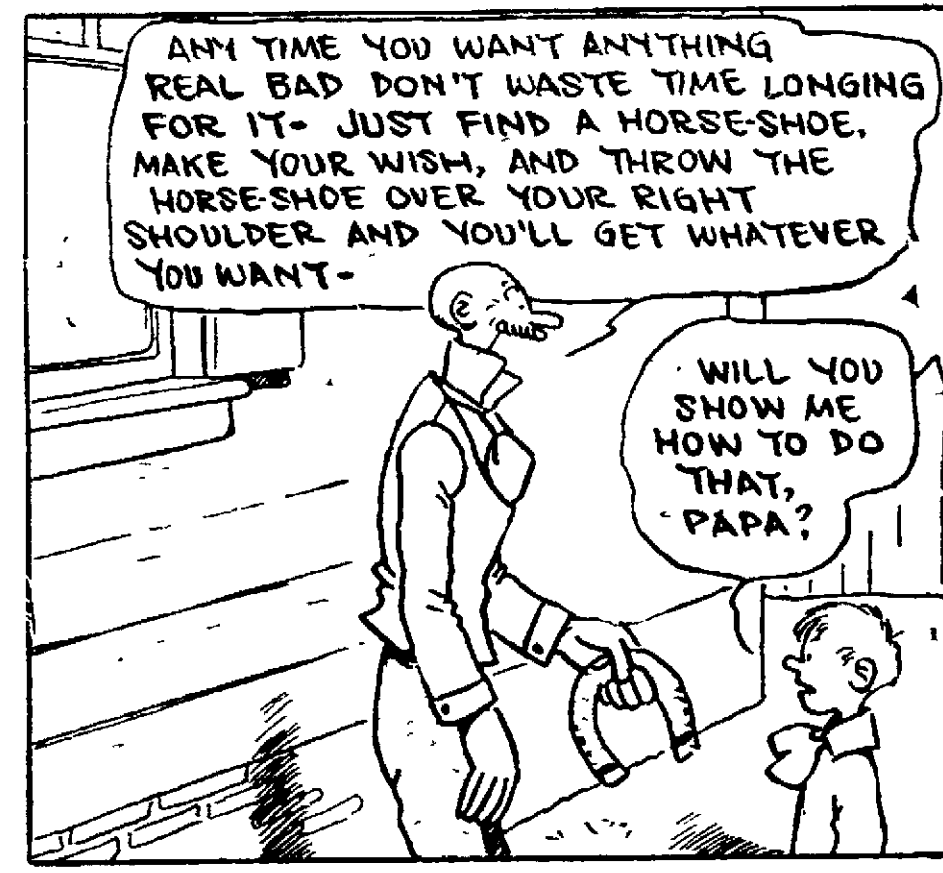
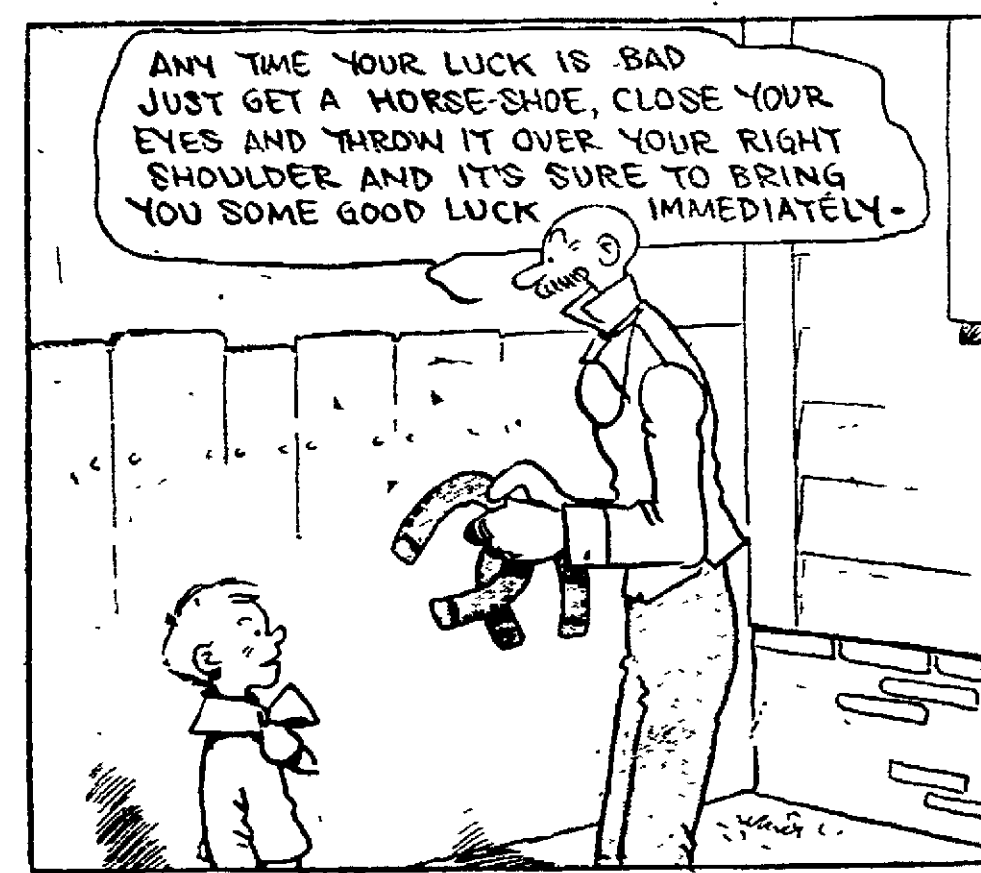
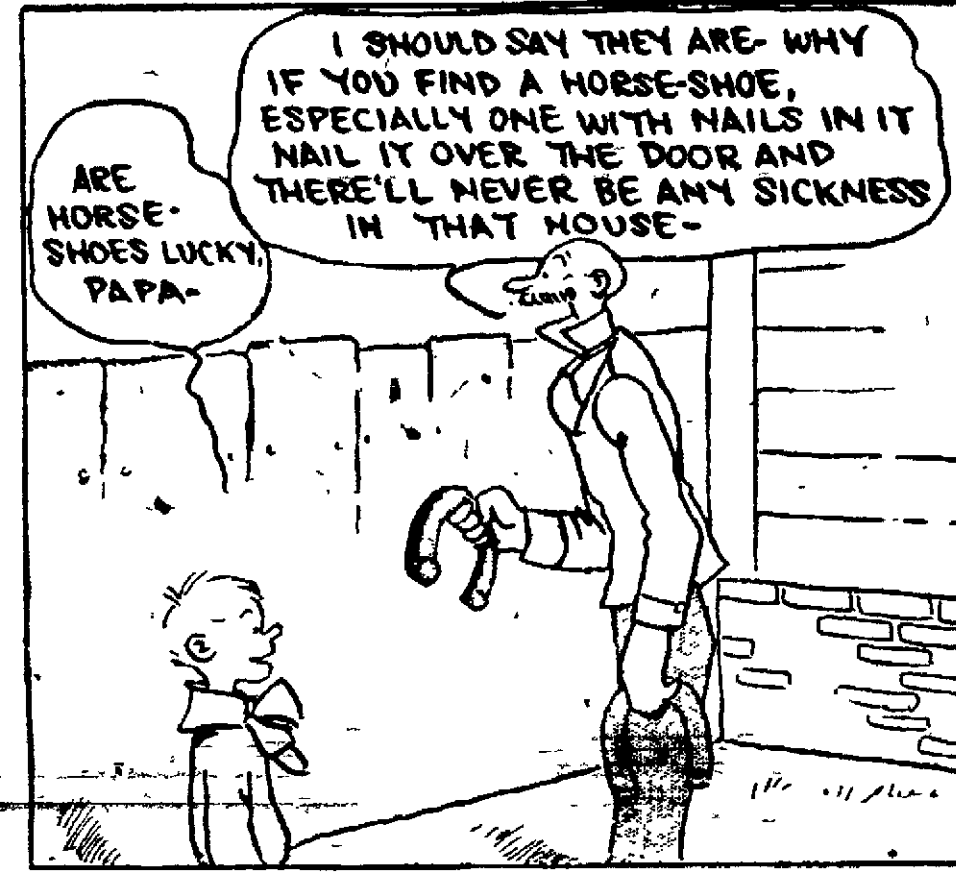
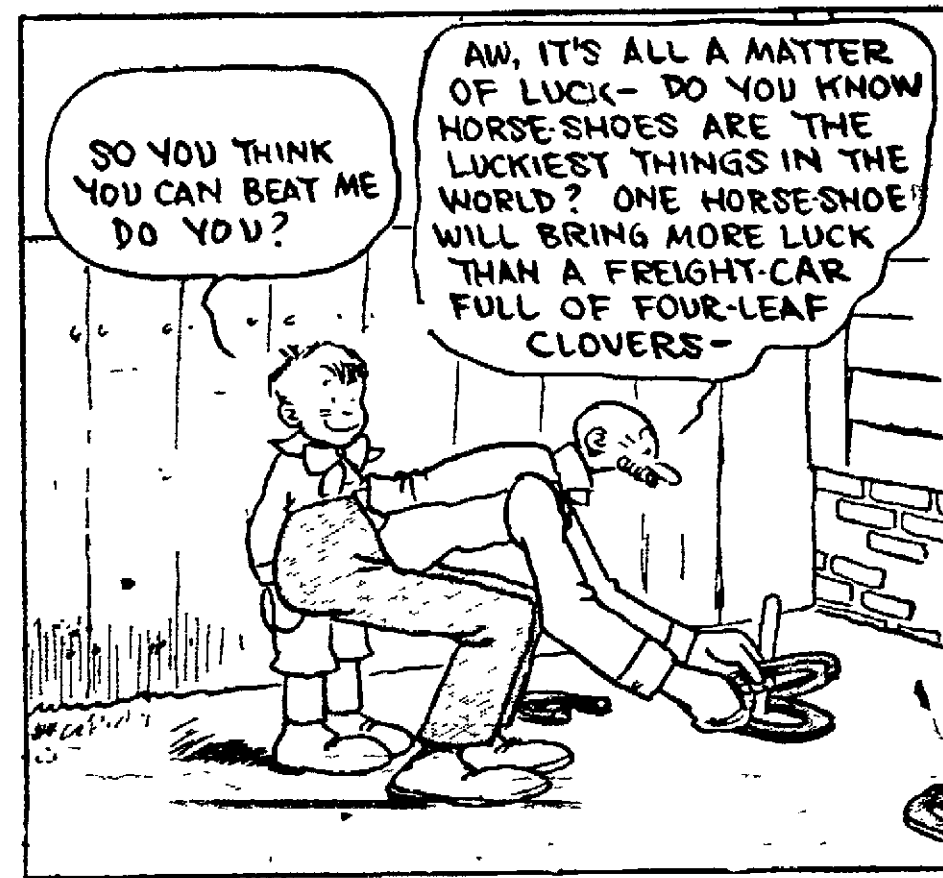
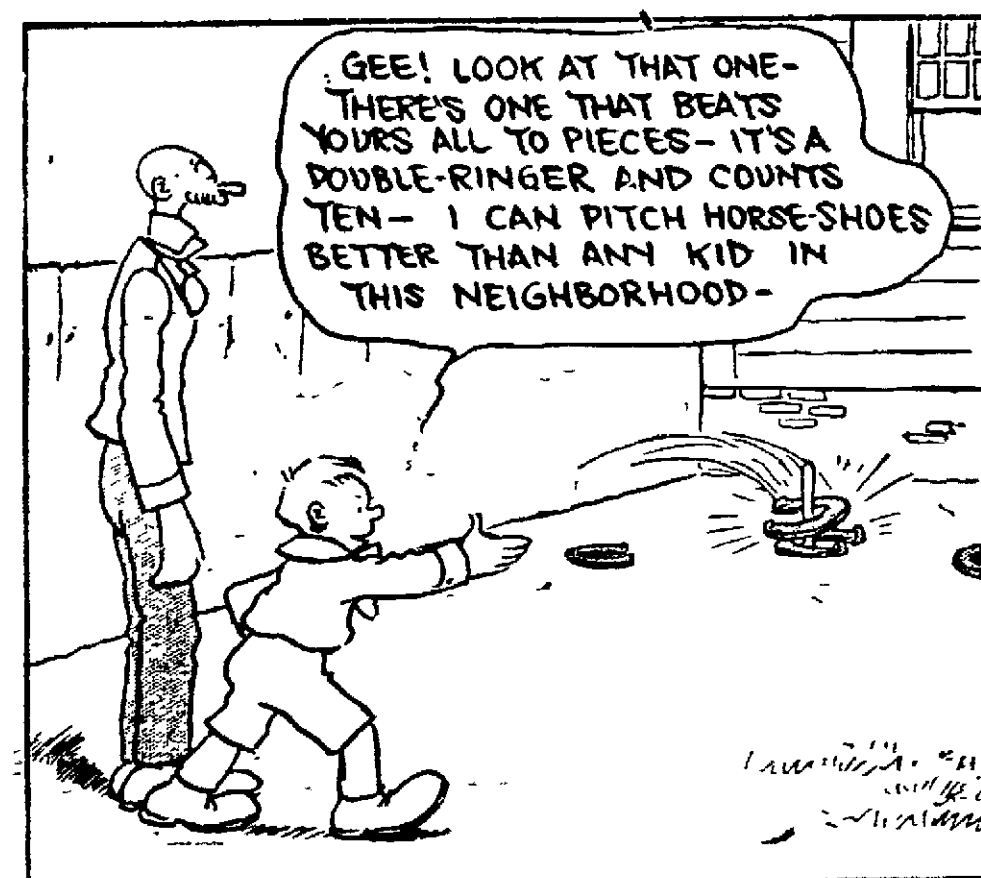
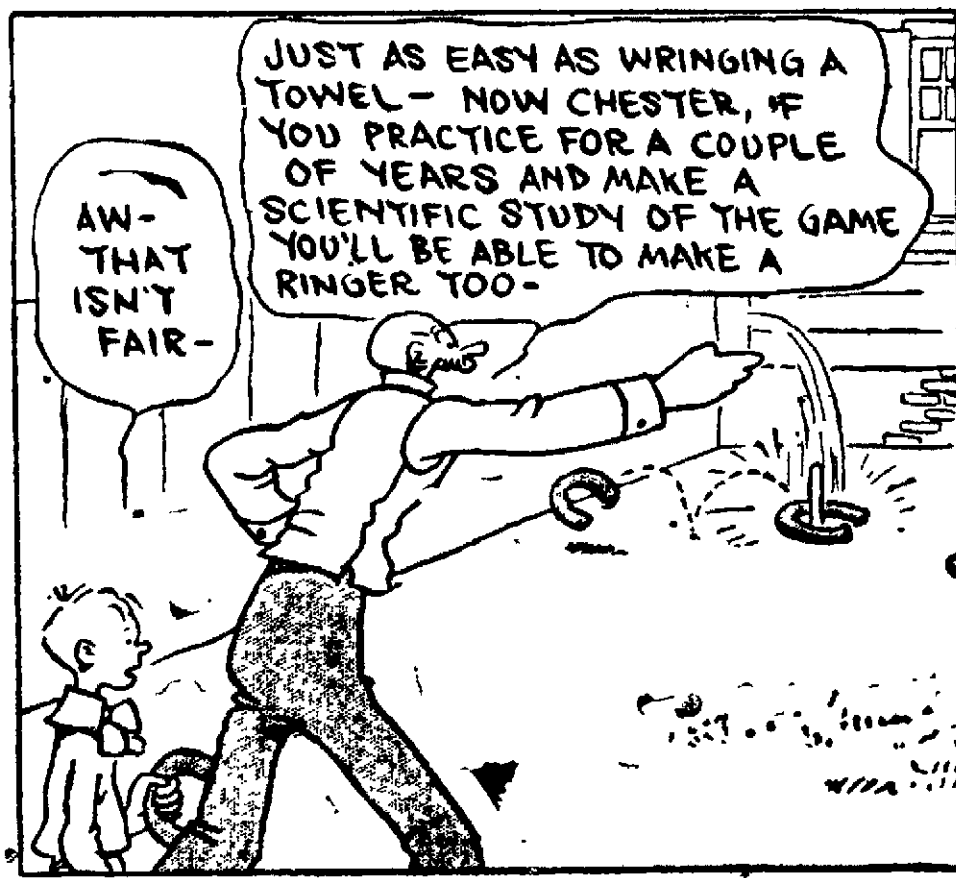


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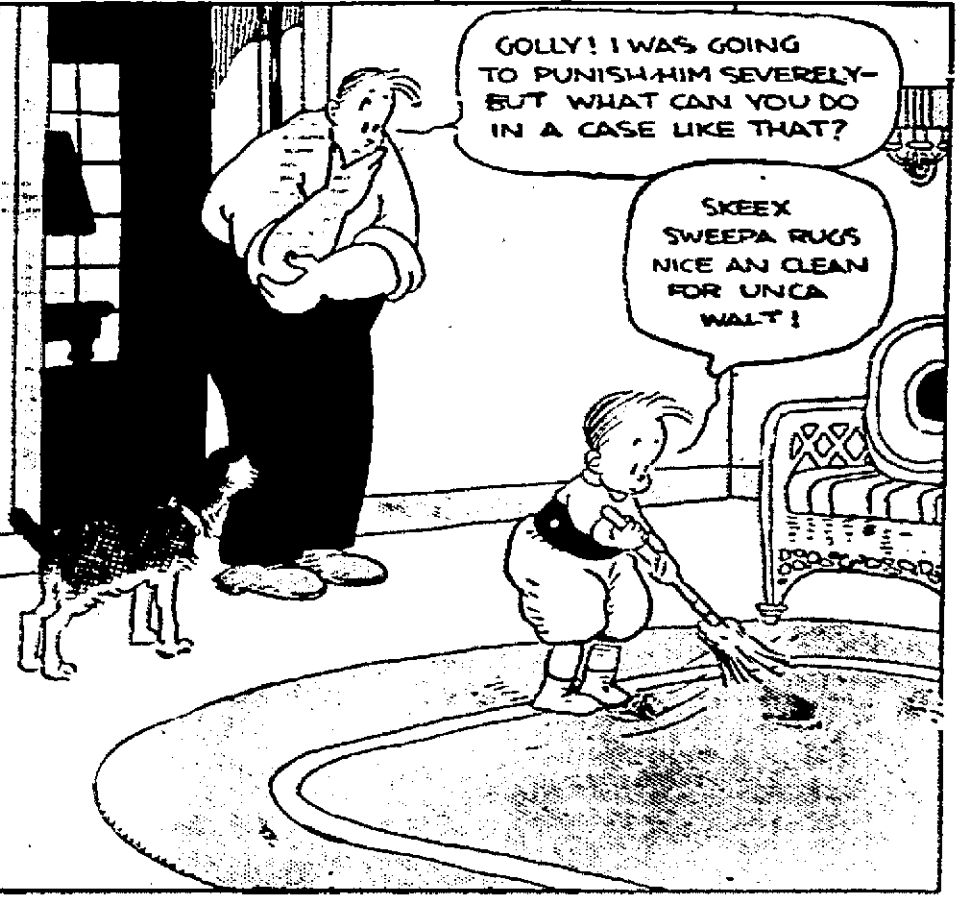
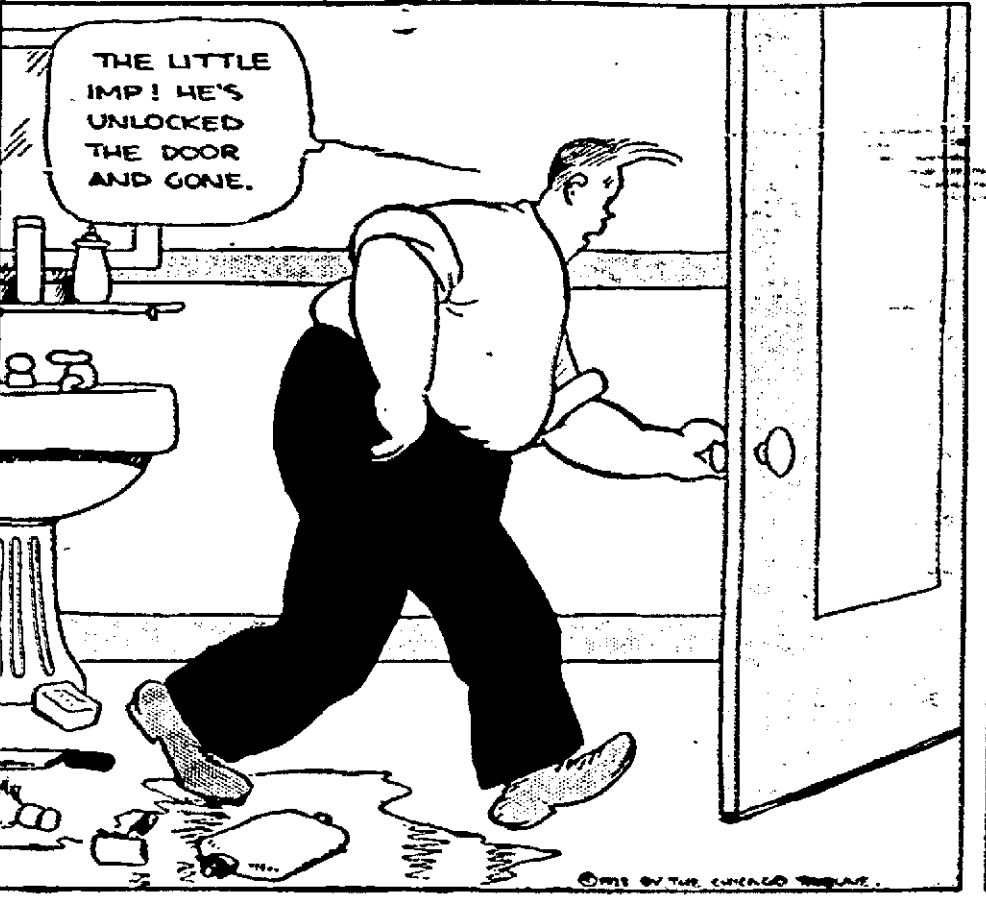
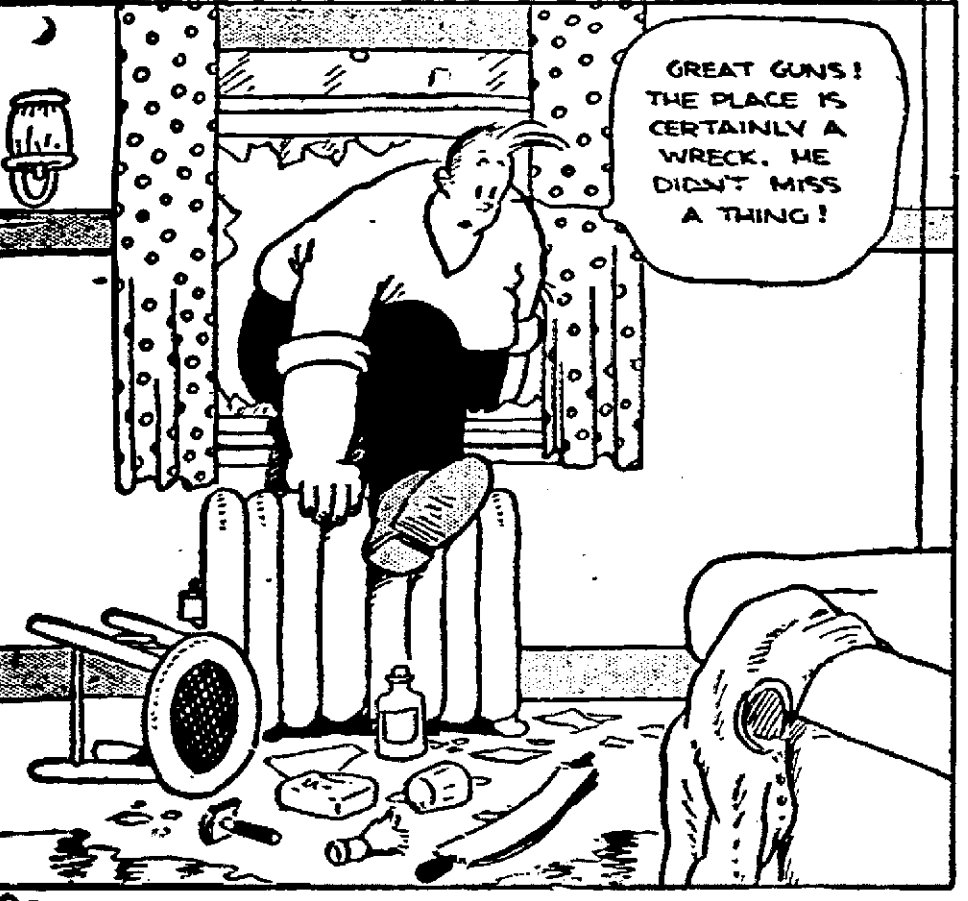
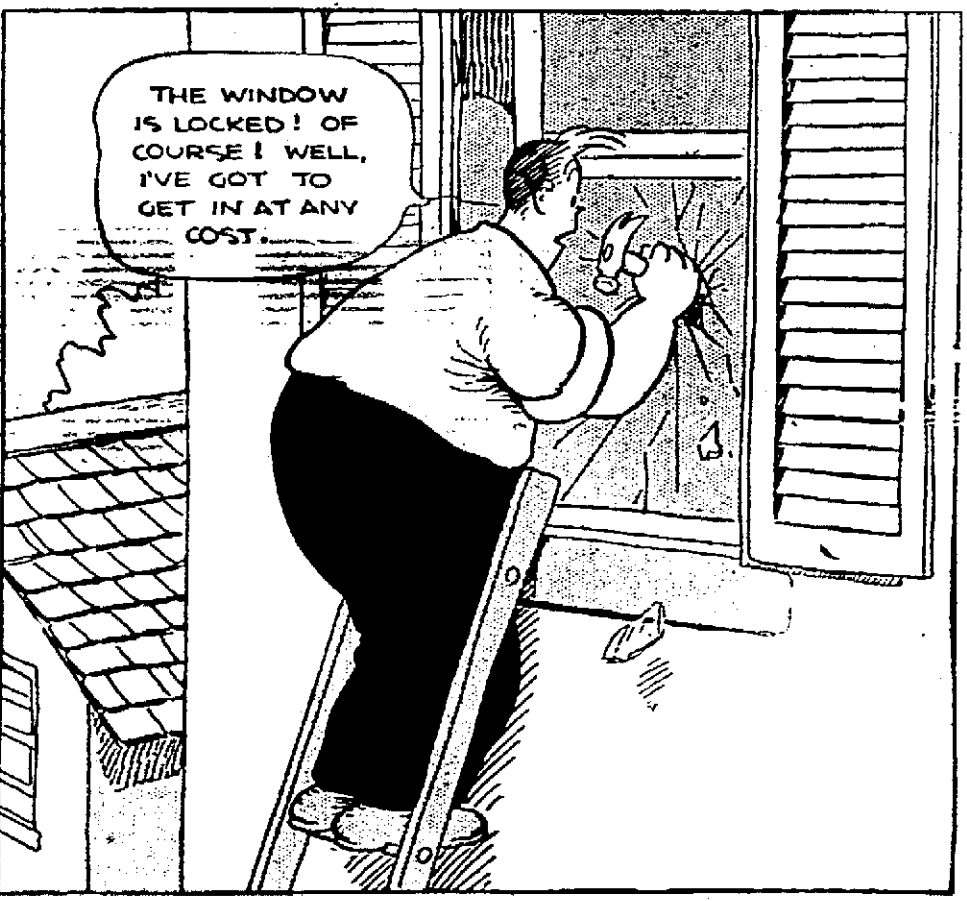
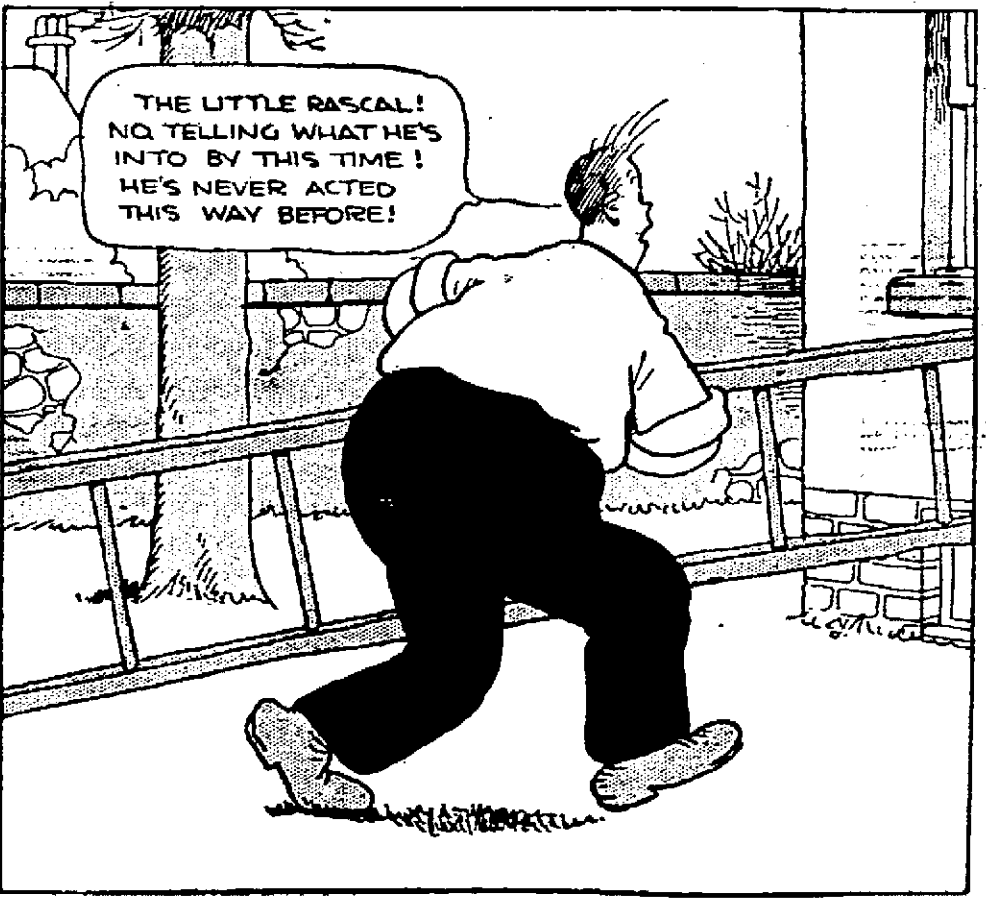
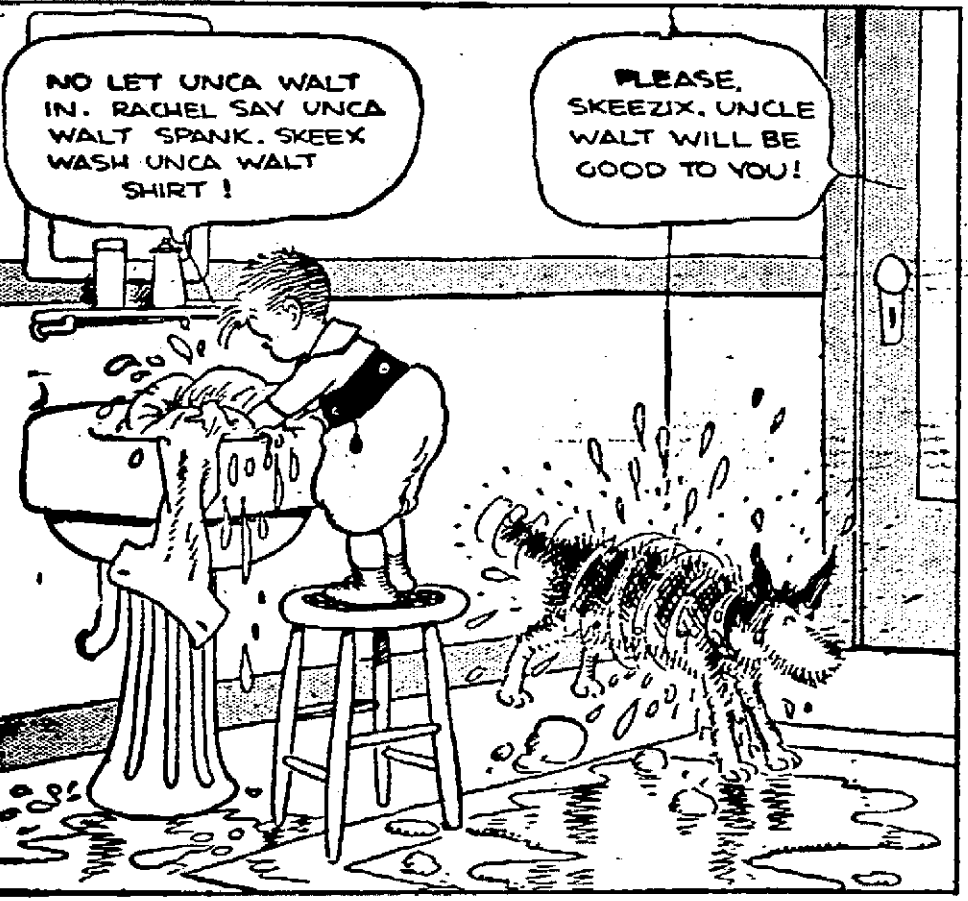
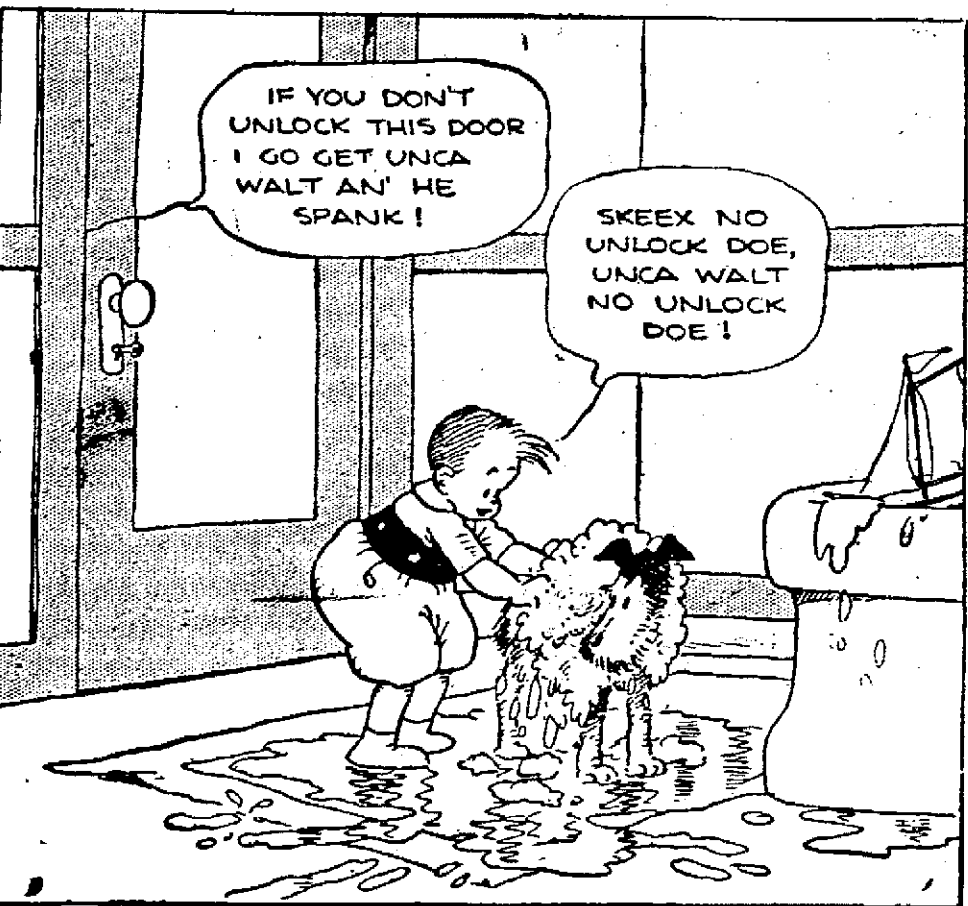
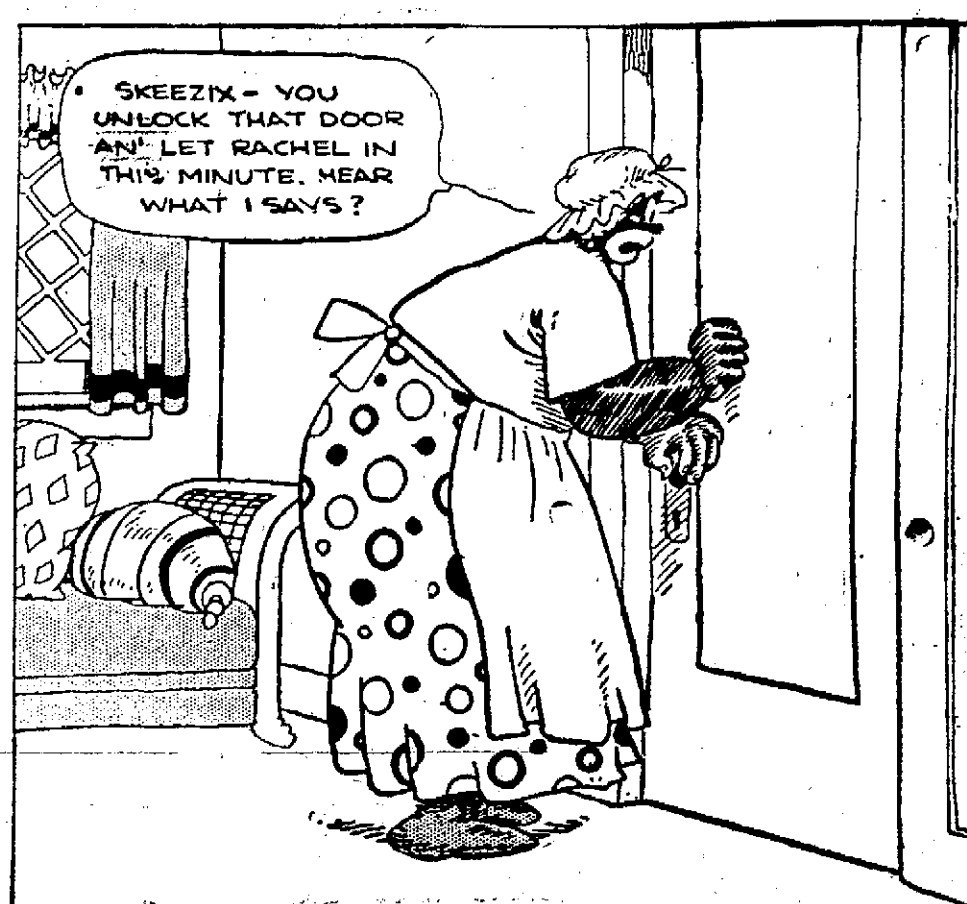
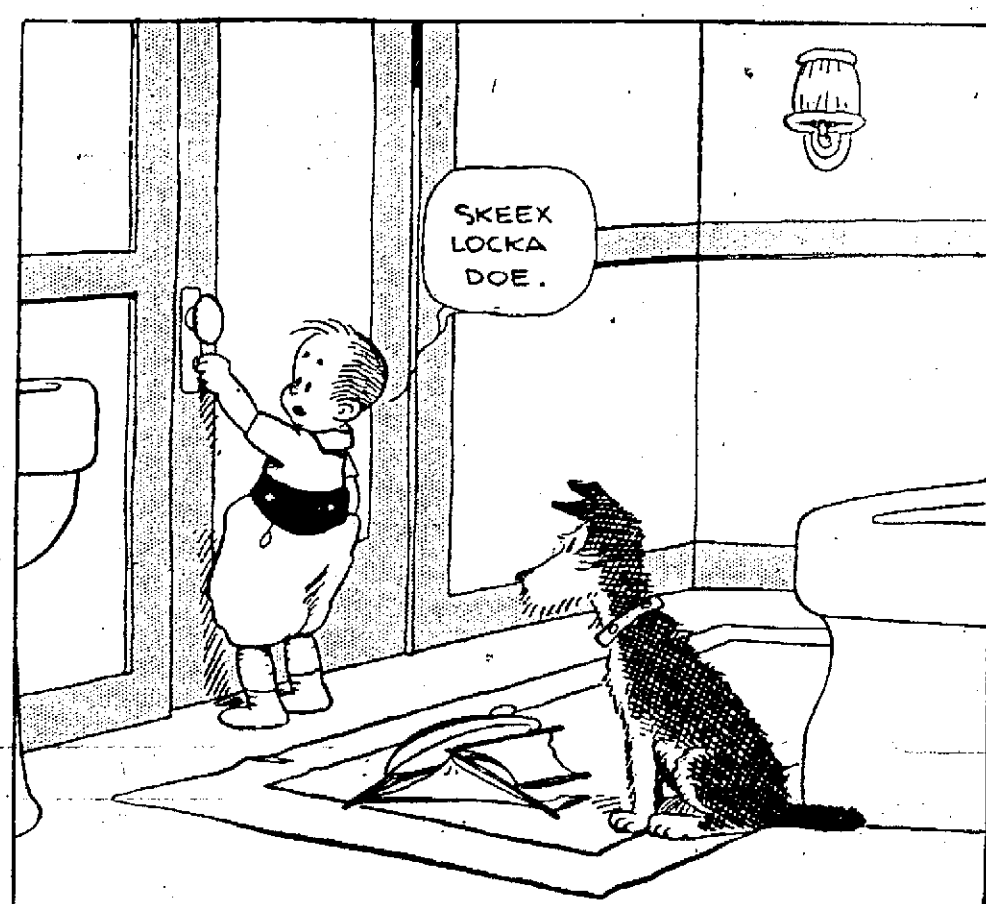
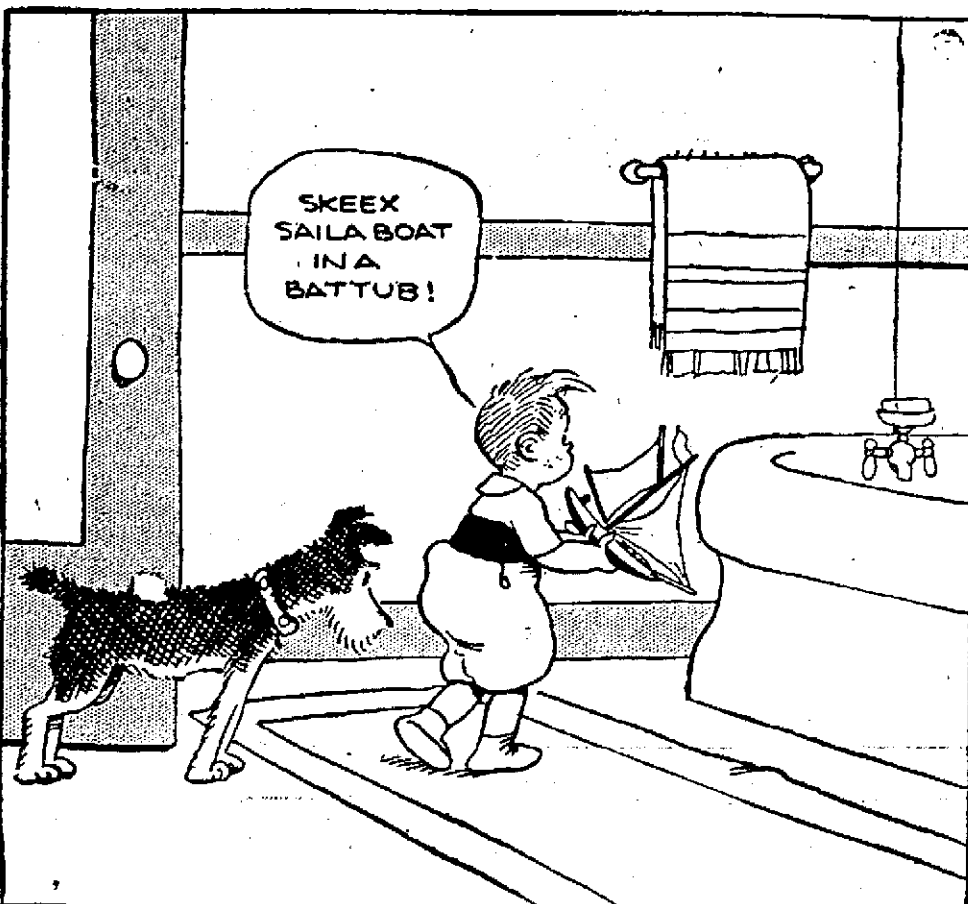
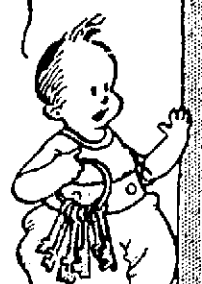


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# LAST MINUTE PHOTOS WHO'S WHO IN THE NEWS

## German Crown Prince's Sorry Reception at Oels



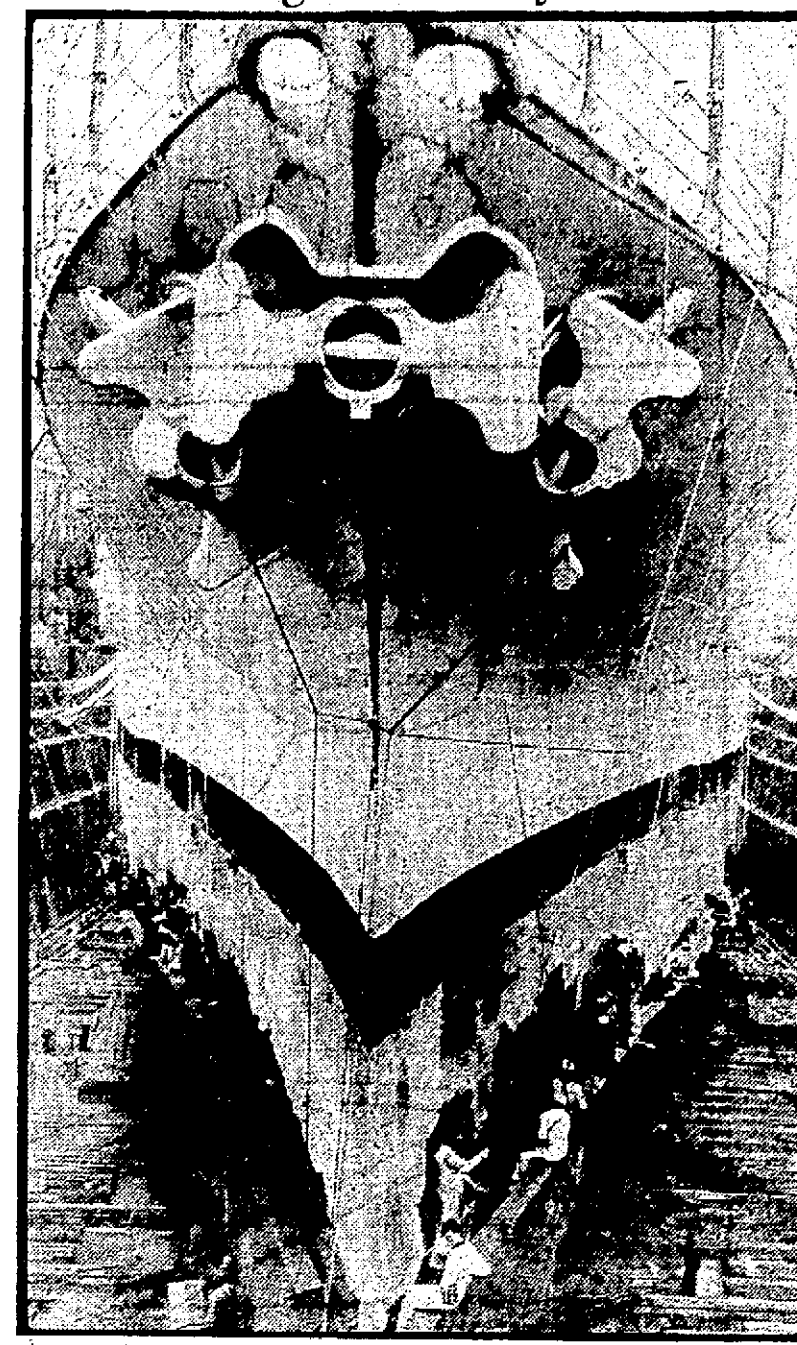
(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
The return of Crown Prince Friedrich to his castle in Oels, Silesia, from exile in Holland was not a triumphant procession, as this photo of reception committee—a handful of youngsters—shows.

## Spanish King May Visit Us



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
William P. Hearst, publisher, met Mrs. Hearst (center) and Mrs. William Young, who returned from France and Spain. Mrs. Hearst said King of Spain would visit us.

## Putting on Sunday Best



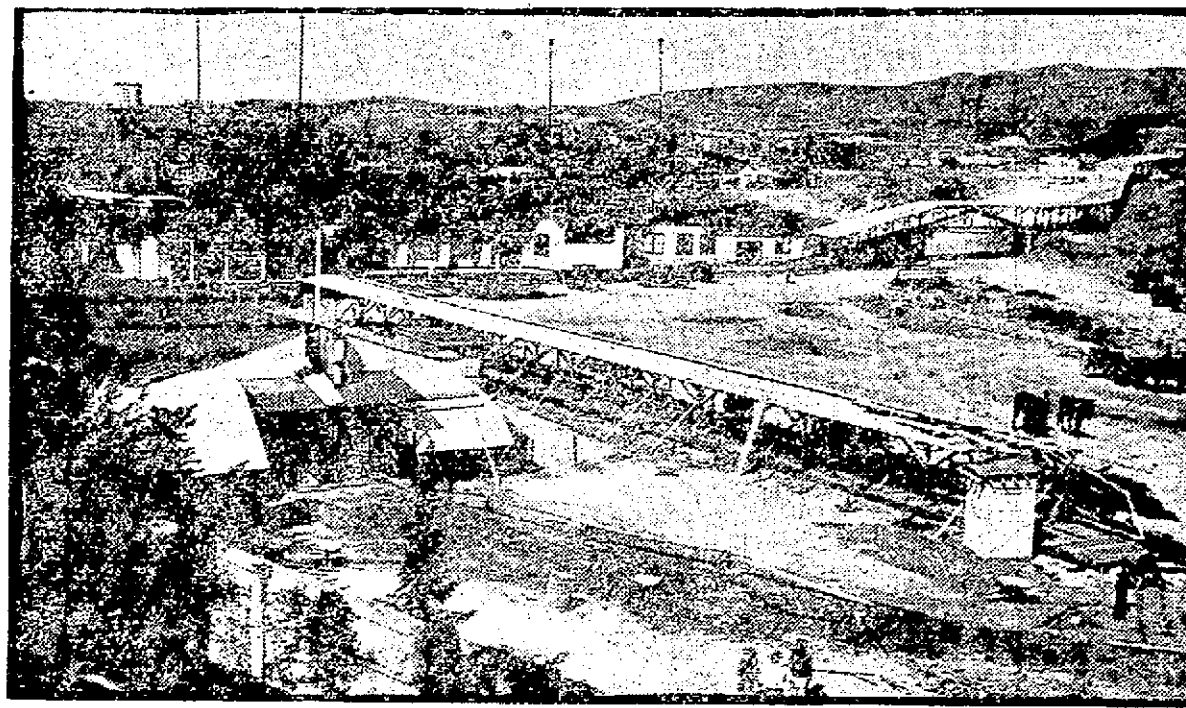
While other battleships were being scrapped in Brooklyn, N. Y., Navy Yard the U. S. S. Colorado, pride of the Navy, was getting its first paint bath. Photo indicates great size of the vessel.

## "To the Office, James"



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
In this fashion does the Countess of Warwick (in driving seat) Labor candidate at English by-elections, go to office for a day's work.

## World's Longest Boardwalk Near Completion



## Stage Calls Governor's Niece



Chosen by Max Reinhardt, most famous European producer, for leading part in coming production, Rosamond Pinchot, New York debutante and niece of Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania, recently took her first lessons from him. Meeting on voyage from Europe, he proposed she take the part.

(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
What is said to be the world's longest covered boardwalk (part of which is shown above) is nearing completion at Tia Juana, Cal. It leads from station to track.

## Suspect



Morris Diamond, New York gunman, was arrested in Cleveland, suspected of being one of bandits who murdered two bank messengers in Brooklyn, N. Y., and stole \$45,000.

## Legs Worth a Million



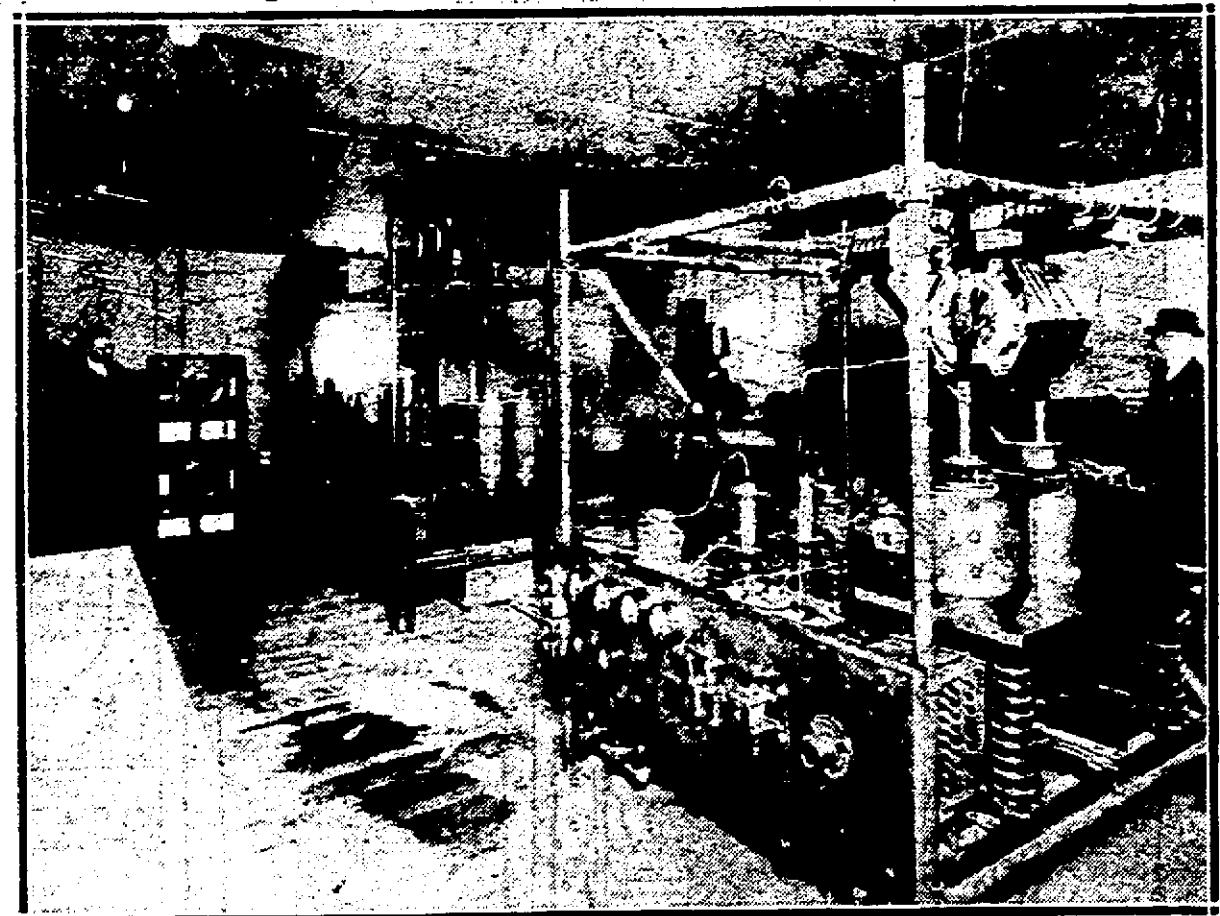
Mlle. Mistinguette, the French dancer, noted for her "million dollar legs," is shown above on arrival from Europe. Her pet is also taking an admiring look at her "perfect understanding."

## Her Fingers Make Letters Fly



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
What experts believe to be a typing record was made by Miss Agnes Pottage (above) in San Francisco. She typed 205 letters (average 100 words) from forty-one dictating machines in one day.

## Radio Messages Sent All Over Country From This Station



Nation-wide, and even international, broadcasting from a single point is now possible through a new system of radio repeating perfected by Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. The speech or music to be broadcast is sent out from the central transmitting station, KDKA, at East Pittsburgh, Pa., on the very short wave length. This wave length is too short to be heard on ordinary receivers, but it can be picked up by special receivers at any number of locations and then rebroadcast (or "repeated") on the ordinary broadcasting waves. Photo shows repeating apparatus at Westinghouse station KDKA, Hastings, Neb., which receives short-wave messages from East Pittsburgh station and rebroadcasts them on regular broadcasting wave lengths.

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## Oh, Jock



That a fighter can wear "soup and fish" and get away with it was proven recently by Jock Malone (above), middleweight, when he attended wedding.

## In Politics



The Baroness Lucy Hatvany, member of a very wealthy Budapest family and a society hostess in the Hungarian capital, who, according to the Budapest newspapers exerts a remarkable influence in Hungarian politics.

## His Case Interests Nation



After four-hour conference with Charles L. Craig, Comptroller of New York City, under indictment for contempt of court, Representative F. N. Zihlman of Maryland announced he would introduce bill in Washington to abolish anti-injunction law.



# LAST MINUTE PHOTOS WHO'S WHO WHAT'S WHAT IN THE NEWS

## Eloping Couple Kill Boy in Their Path



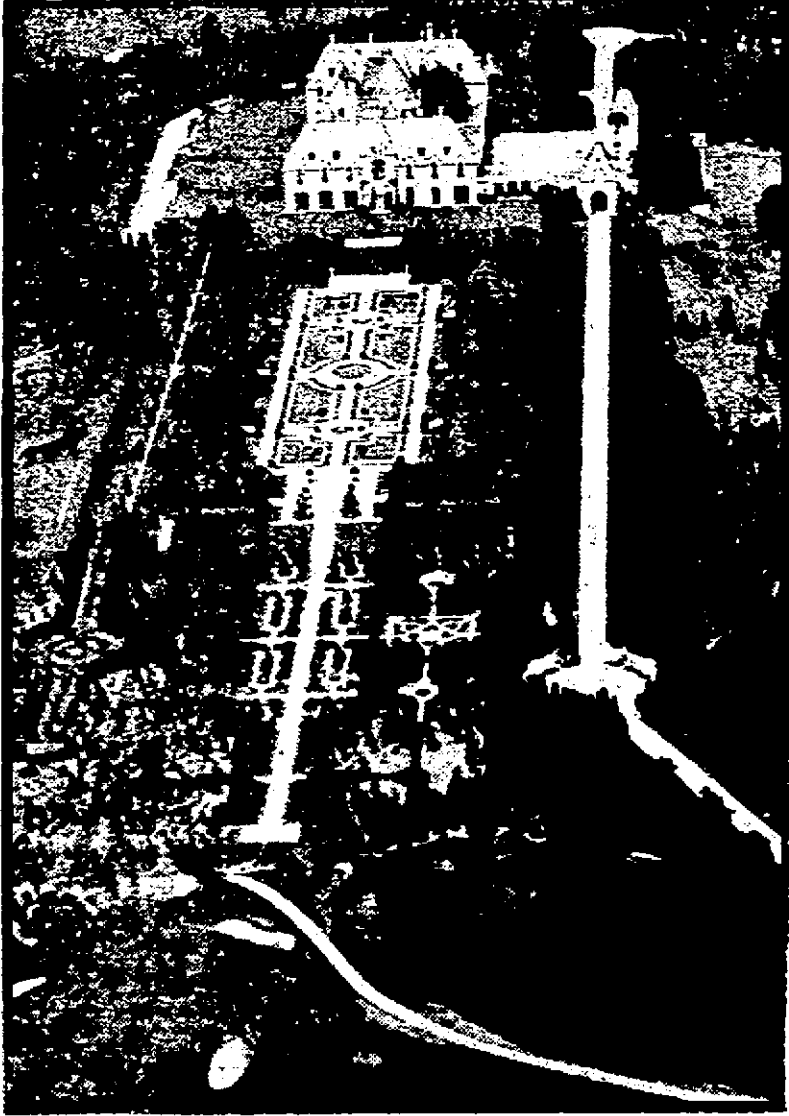
(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
A boy was killed, two persons injured and five automobiles damaged at Hartford, Conn., during mad drive of G. K. Whiteside of New Haven, who, it is said, was recently declared insane. In the auto with Whiteside was young girl with whom he was eloping. Photo shows one of wrecked cars.

## Mrs. Caruso and British Husband



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Camera caught Mrs. Enrico Caruso, widow of famous tenor, on stroll with Capt. G. A. Ingram, whom she married in London. They look happy enough.

## Gardening de Luxe



The "mate in landscape gardening has been achieved at the country home of Otto Kahn, the banker, at Cold Spring Harbor, L. I., as unusual photo shows.

## Tallest



Here is the biggest tree in the world, the General Sherman tree, in General Grant Park, California. It is 26.5 feet in diameter at base and is 280 feet high.

## He Can Read Your Mind



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
If you want to keep your secrets, don't go near Conradi Lierntner, German mind reader, who demonstrated power to woman aboard Resolute recently.

## Wasn't Afraid of Wild Animals, but Feared Spiders



Fine specimen of African tiger bagged by Robert Bruge and wife (above).

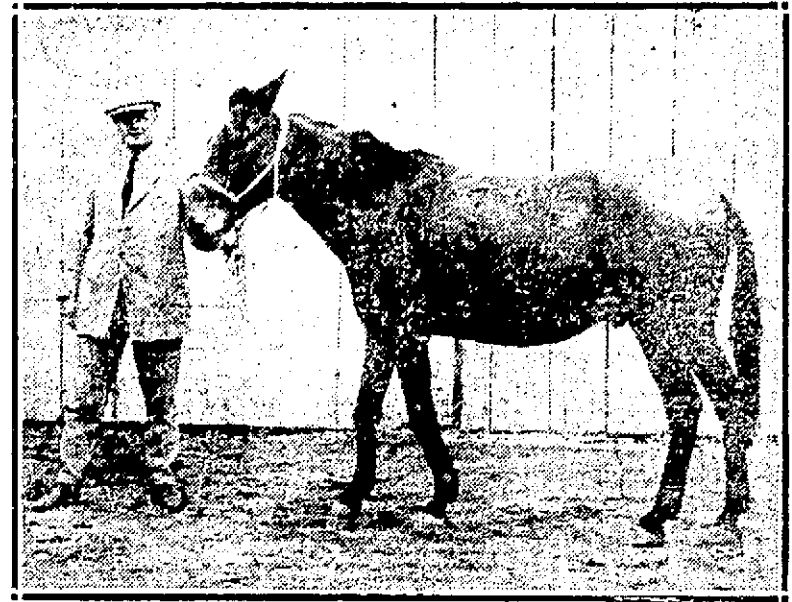
Five carloads of trophies of all kinds of game were brought back to America by Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Bruge, who arrived on the Leviathan after two years hunting in Africa. Mrs. Bruge faced lions and buffaloes, but was afraid of spiders, she said.

## \$2,000 a Pint



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
When heirs refused to pay Leona Standiford (above), San Francisco, for pint of blood she gave to save deceased life, Miss Standiford brought suit and was awarded \$2,000.

## A Half Century of Stubbornness



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Here is "Podunk," a fifty-year-old mule of California. You can't tell his age by looking at his teeth, because he hasn't any, but his owner has an affidavit to substantiate his claim.

## Jackass Became a Clam



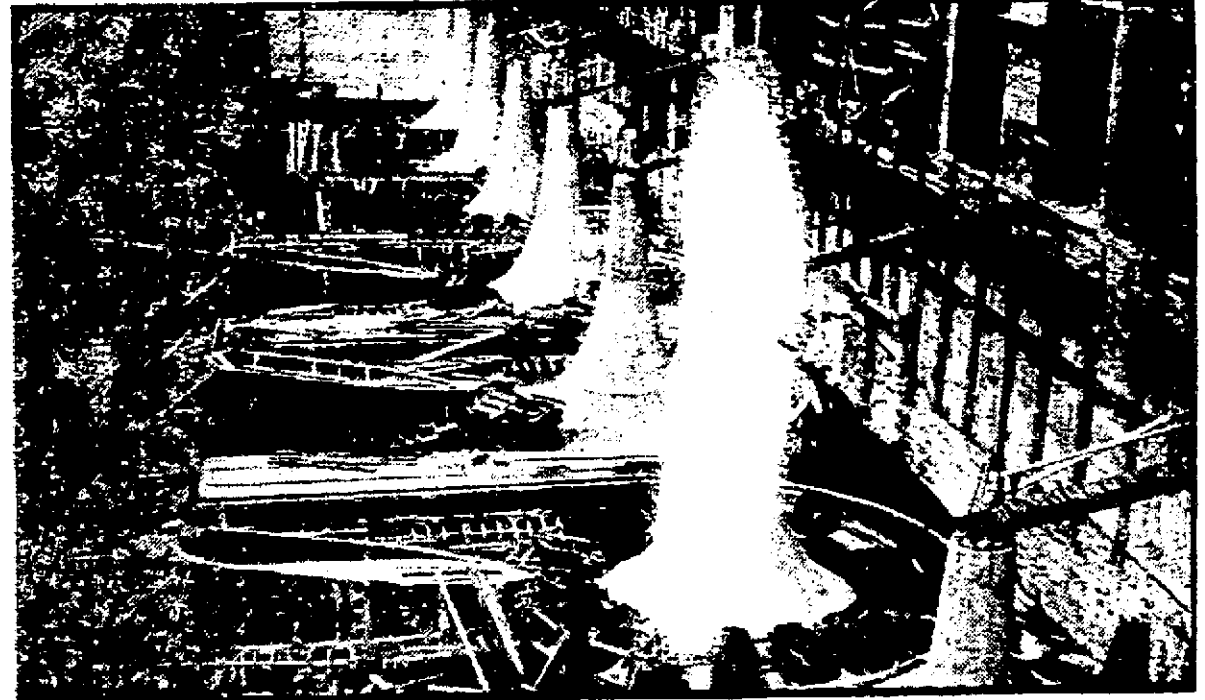
(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
"Shut up or I'll knock that pipe out of your mouth," was retort with which Lady Astor (above in office) silenced a heckler at her election campaign speech.

## Guarding His Mistress From Harm



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Carefully guarding his little mistress, Mary Coghlan of Chicago, is this blue ribbon winning English bulldog, photographed the other day at dog show held in Chicago.

## World's Largest Power Center Nears Completion



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
Work on the building construction at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, is progressing rapidly and when completed Muscle Shoals will be the largest power center in the world. Above photo shows some of the giant concrete cones on which will turn the twenty turbines developing from 50,000 to 35,000 horsepower each of electrical energy.

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## Brothers Held for Murder and Robbery



(By Pacific & Atlantic)  
The faces of Joseph (left) and Barlow Diamond, brothers, were impressive as they stood at rail in court and answered to charges of murder and robbery of two bank messengers in Brooklyn, N. Y. It is said they confessed to part in crime.



THE DUFFS

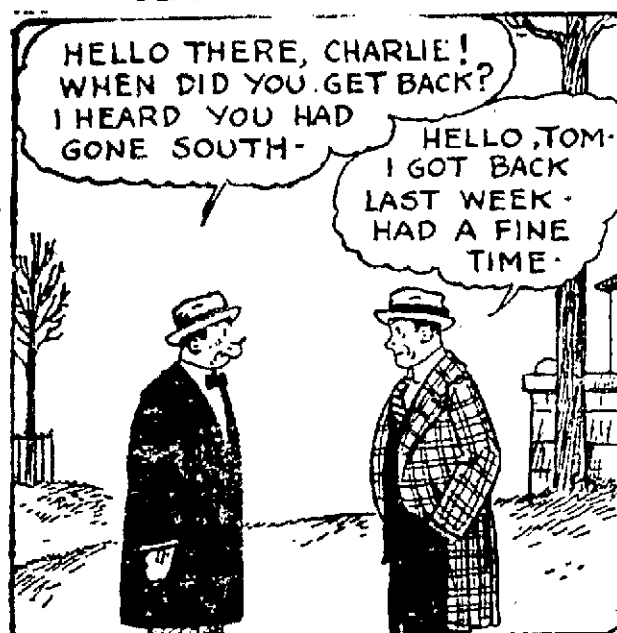
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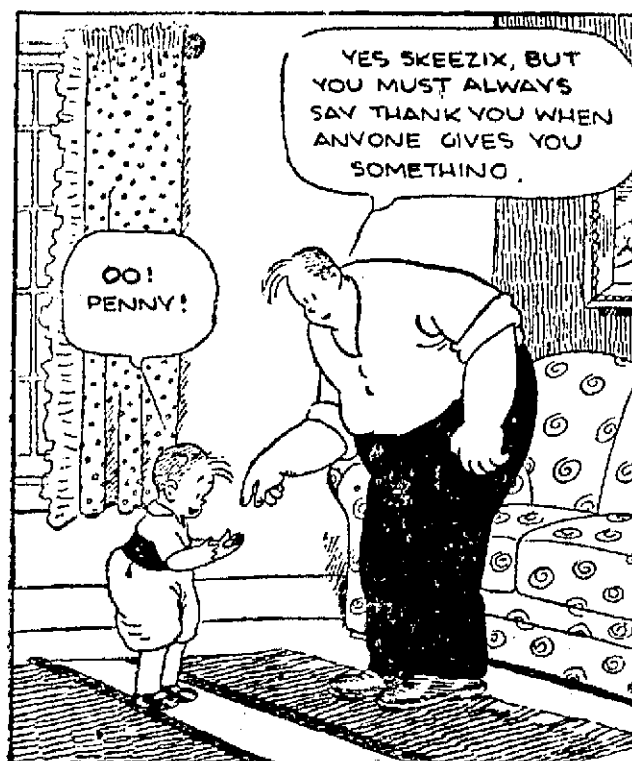
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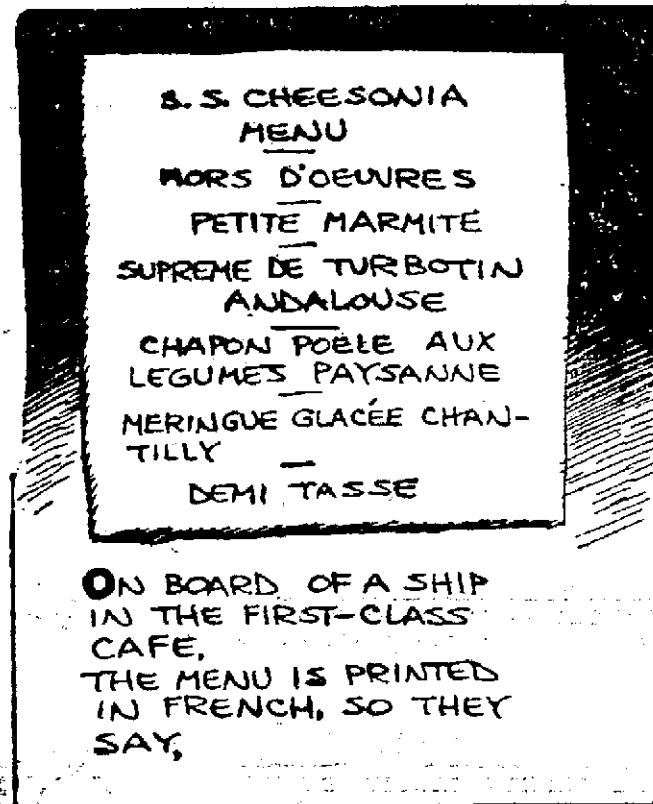


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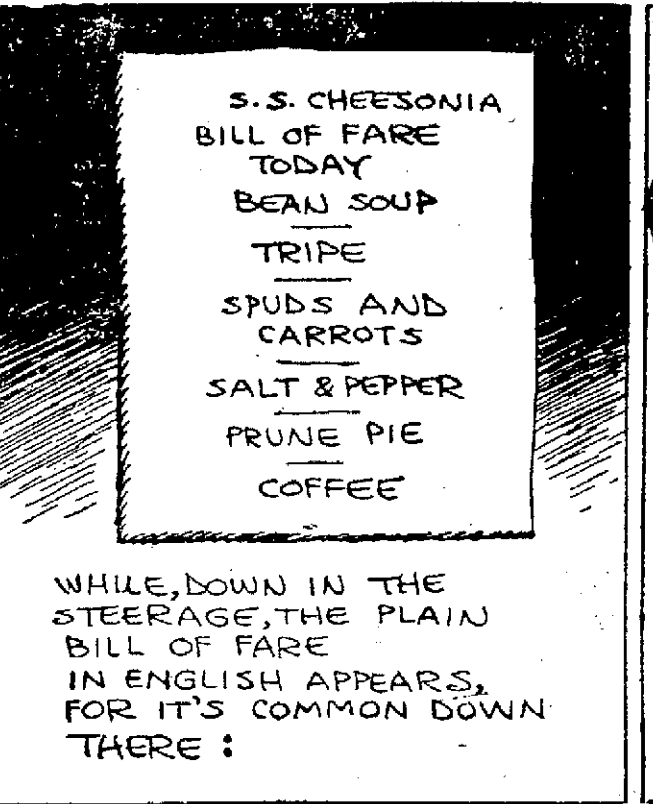


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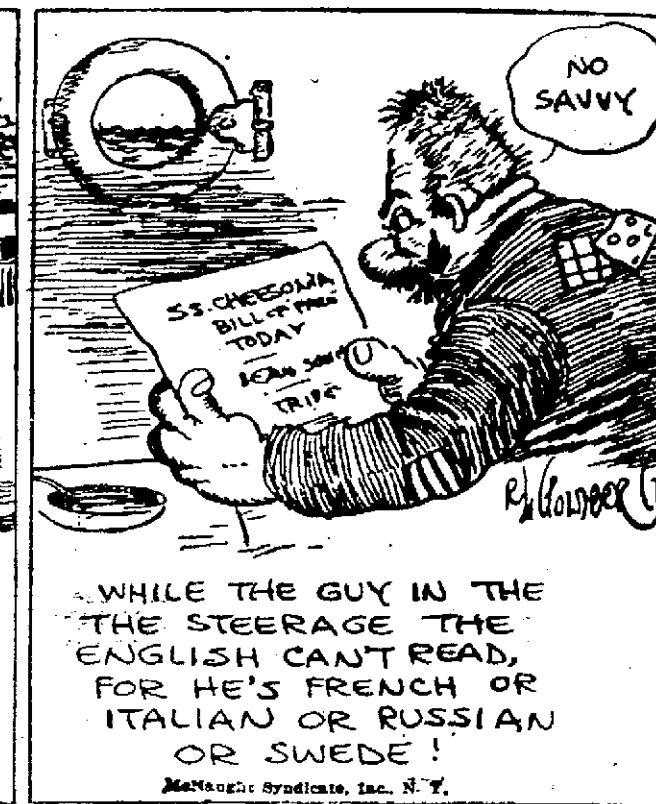
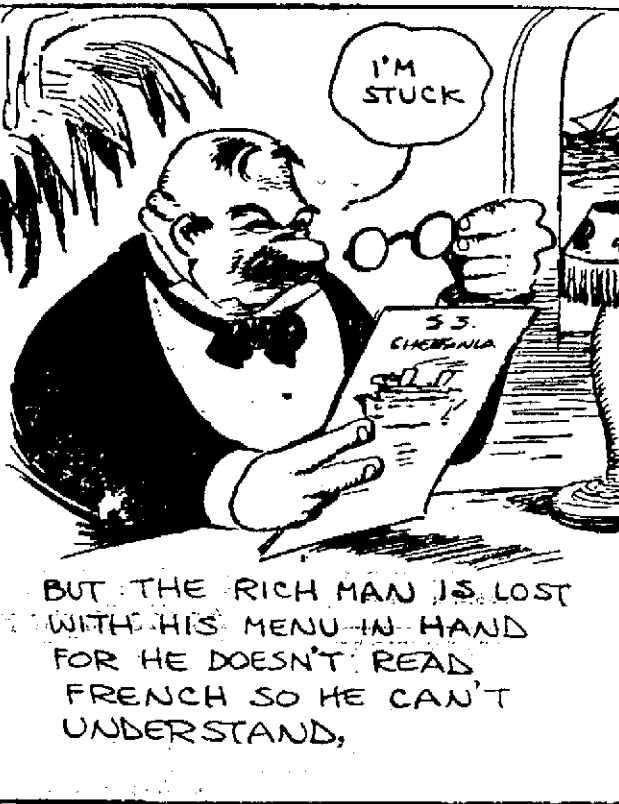
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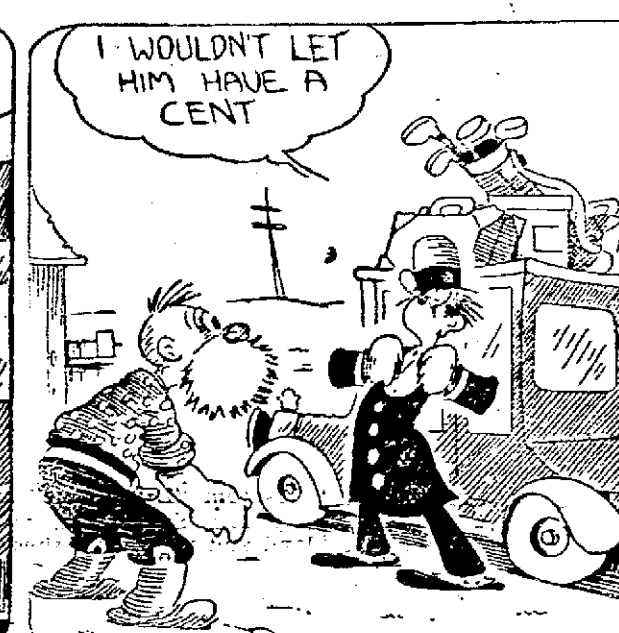
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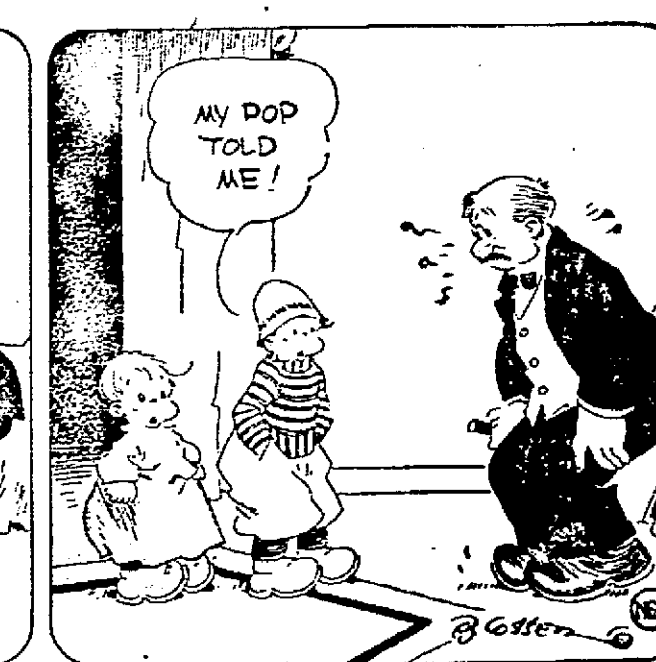
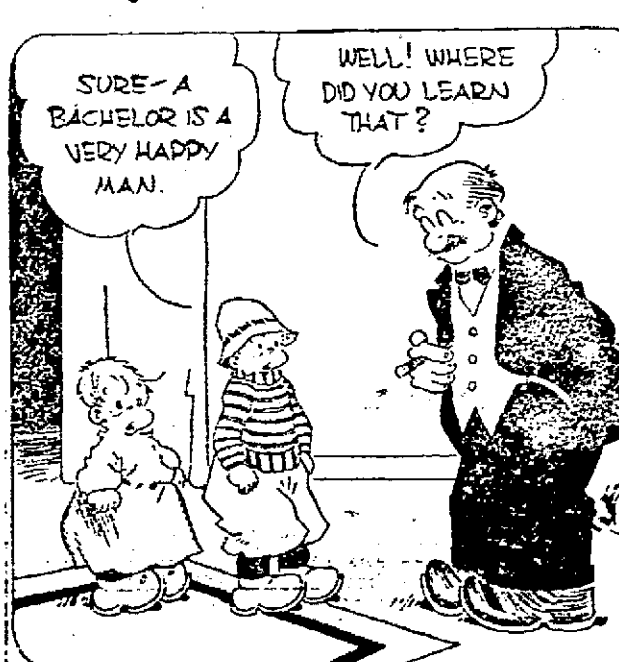
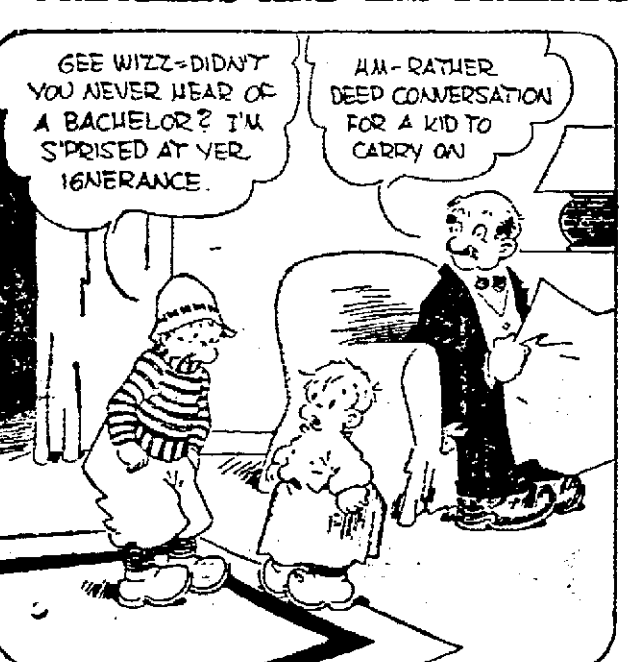
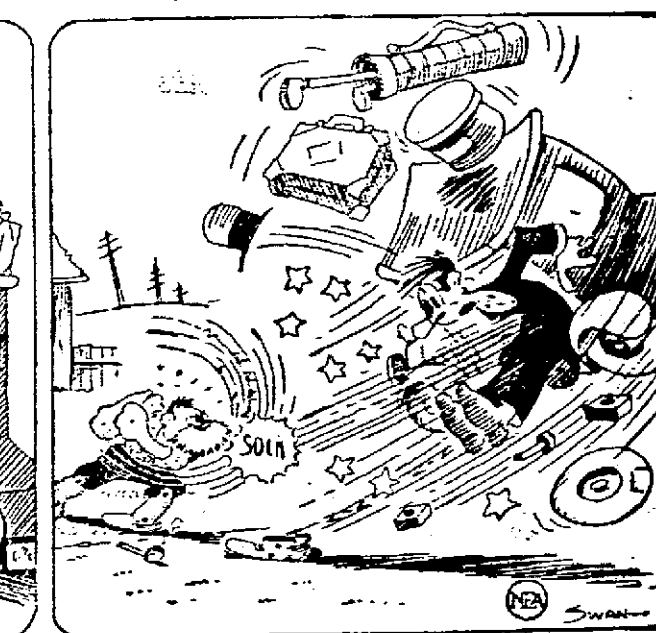
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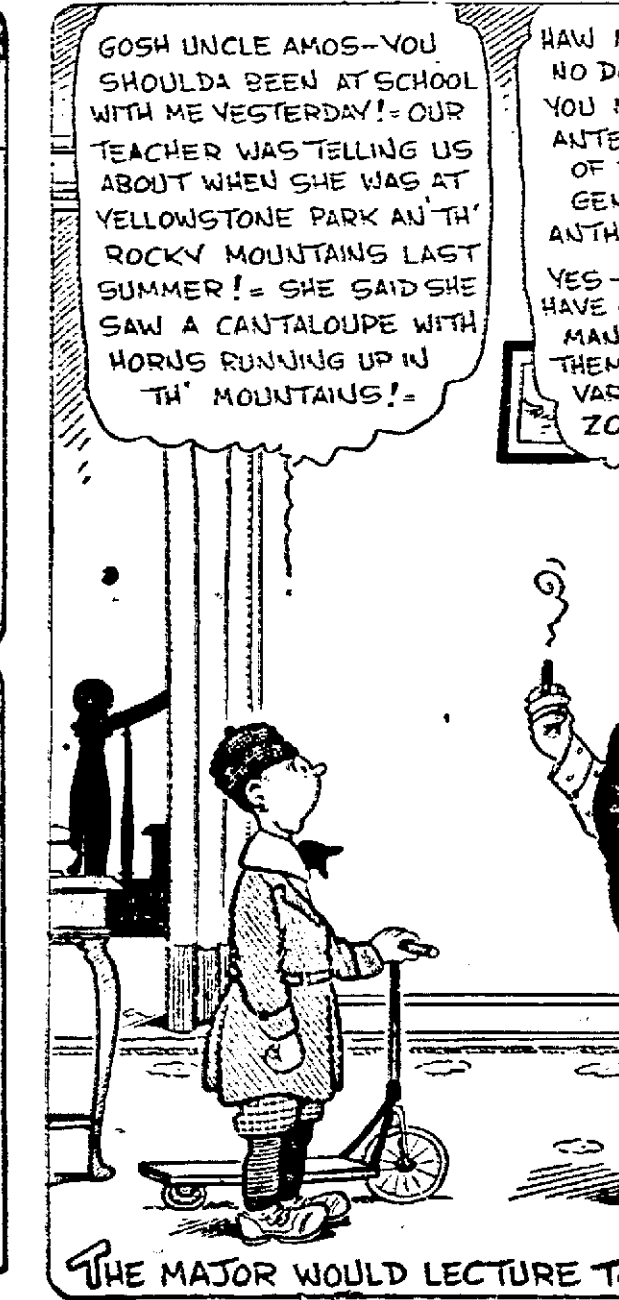


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**FRENCHMAN TO** GO ON TRIAL IN BERLIN IN JAN.

(By The Associated Press.) **BERLIN, Nov. 30.**—Captain D'Armont of the French general staff, will be placed on trial before the supreme court of Leipzig the first week in January, charged with military espionage. His arrest ten yards within the Swiss-German frontier on January 10 had been kept a complete secret, and it was only today that the German government after a bitter exchange of notes with Quai D'Orsay, in which the Swiss government intervened to confirm that Captain D'Armont had been arrested in German territory decided to ignore the French threats of reprisals and have him tried before the Leipzig court.

This is the first time since the war that a French officer will be tried in a German court on such a serious charge. The French military authorities today arrested Herr Leuz, president of the Dusseldorf court, as hostage for Captain D'Armont, and they threaten other reprisals. The formal charge against Captain D'Armont was that he was unauthorized to establish an extended system of military espionage in Germany, particularly to learn secret orders given to the reichswehr, and that he had been guilty of a terrible new German spy network, and other strict secrets. The German government alleges that the Versailles Treaty does not give the allies authorization to spy into German formulas or plans for guns and such things.

**Overnight Features** BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Mussolini declares for Italian recognition of the Russian government and asserts this recognition is for Italy's welfare.

Senate Public Lands Committee says conflicting testimony as to the personal financial status of former Secretary Albert Fall after he signed the Teapot Dome oil lease and Fall is invited to appear before the committee in an effort to clarify the situation.

Secretary Hughes at Philadelphia declares that American foreign policy squares consistently with the Monroe Doctrine and that the United States must stick to its independence in action.

Albert H. Gary in New York address asserts that any proposal for cancellation or reduction of European war debts to the United States are irrational and preposterous.

Progressives in House of Representatives demand Congress in House rules and legislation, openly threat to block organization unless a compromise is reached.

President Coolidge stands committed to plan for transferring the prohibition enforcement unit from the Treasury Department to the Department of Justice.

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**OWNER FRENCH** HORSE TO LEAVE FOR NEW YORK

(By The Associated Press.) **PARIS, Nov. 30.**—Pierre Wertheimer, owner of Epinard, France's champion three-year-old race horse, will leave for New York tomorrow on board the steamship Paris. On his arrival in the United States he will be ready to consider any responsible proposition to send Epinard to meet America's best in a match race over any distance, up to one mile and a half.

M. Wertheimer would prefer that the race be held in France, in which the Swiss government has been in progress since November 3, to arrange an international cup race on the Long-champs course for May, next year, have been held up by the Viceroy's race track society, to which this date originally was allotted, refusing to yield.

To the Associated Press this evening M. Wertheimer said he was anxious to prove that he owns the best horse in the world and that was ready to ship Epinard across the Atlantic for a race or a series of match races.

**RUM CONFERENCE ENDS.**

**OTTAWA, Nov. 30.**—The international rum smuggling conference, in session since Tuesday with American and Canadian delegates in attendance, concluded its work this afternoon with the signing of a joint declaration of intent to maintain complete secrecy as to the proceedings and probable consequences of the discussion. The American delegates left for Washington.

**Churches affected attendance at concert.**

Governor McCray, of Indiana, will submit to arrest and give bond to answer charges against him whenever the authorities are ready to serve the capias. It is announced after conference between McCray and his counsel.

Irene Castle and her third husband, Major Frederick McLaughlin, are recognized boarding coach train at Aberdeen, S. D., but decline to say where they are going on wedding trip.

Oliver Baldwin and A. G. McDonald, sons of Prime Minister Baldwin and James Ramsay MacDonald speak from the same platform at London election meeting and young Baldwin continues to criticize his father's ministry.

Mrs. Harold McCormick, former Ganna Walden, at her Chicago home, receives members of Illinois branch of the woman's party and enters the fight for complete equal rights for women.

General Joseph Haller, of Poland, fails to call on Mayor Curley of Boston and the latter in turn declines to attend banquet given by the American Legion in General Haller's honor.

Mary cabinet begins work in Berlin with all places in the ministry filled.

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